WEATHER SYNOPSIS

The barometer remains high on the Pacific slope, and fine, moderately cold weather prevails over this Province. Zero temperatures prevail in the Prairie Provinces.

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NEIGHBORING MUNICIPALITIES ELECT COUNCILS

REEVE PATON DEFEATED IN POINT GREY

Doughty Head of Point Grey Municipality Loses to Former Reeve — Largest Vote on Record

MR. FROMME SWEEPS NORTH VANCOUVER

All Six Divisions in Outer Vancouver Return Old Hands — Fraser Valley Results

VANCOUVER, Jan. 14.—Old hands in municipal government were returned today in all of the six municipalities of Greater Vancouver. Not all of the sitting reeves were endorsed by the voters, but where substitutes were named they were men who in previous years had sat at the head of councils.

The most interesting fight of the day was in Point Grey, where W. H. Lembke, a former reeve, beat the protagonist of anti-amalgamation, J. A. Paton. Joseph Morris led the poll in two wards.

In Point Grey the total vote was 4,529, larger by 1,500 than any ever polled previously. The vote was: Creer, 267; Lembke, 1,786; Morris, 956; Paton, 1,530.

By more than three to one, J. W. Cornett was re-elected to the reeveship of South Vancouver. Seven polls out of ten gave Cornett, 2,597; Hall, 729.

A. K. McLean, former reeve of Burnaby, was victorious in that municipality, defeating the present incumbent, C. C. Bell, and the third candidate, Frank Browne, M.L.A. Eleven of nineteen polls gave: McLean, 1,284; Bell, 582; Browne, 839.

NORTH VANCOUVER

With three out of the six wards heard from returns in the North Vancouver district reeveship election indicated that the present incumbent, J. M. Fromme, has been returned with an overwhelming majority.

Results from three wards were J. M. Fromme, 1,067; A. Whitaker 409; James Orchard, 28. Reeve, 44.

Vinson was re-elected to the reeveship of West Vancouver, defeating his opponent, Sidney Gisby.

Returns were: Vinson, 732; Gisby, 620. Reeve J. W. Miller, Richmond, and the entire council were re-elected, the reeve winning by a majority of 39 over F. A. Tomsett. The final count was Miller, 565; Tomsett, 526.

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Re-elected Reeve of Saanich

REEVE W. CROUCH

MANY MISHAPS BEFALL FLYERS

Life During Endurance Record Attempt Consists of Just One Thing Going Wrong After Another

MOTOR DEVELOPS LEAKS AND BREAKS

MITCHELL FIELD, Jan. 14.—One minor accident after another was recounted by Chamberlin and Williams in the story of the flight which they told when they landed after their endurance attempt and had washed and eaten. Any one of the mishaps might have forced them to land at any time, but the two kept the plane aloft until the last drop of gasoline was gone.

At 9 o'clock Thursday night, when they had been in the air approximately eleven hours, Chamberlin said he chanced to flash his light along the left of the plane. A thin jet of gasoline was spurting from the bottom of the tank, spraying back over the cabin and through a partly opened window. He immediately shut off the right wing tank and used only the fuel in the leaking tank until it was empty, and then cut the right wing tank into the feed line. The left wing tank was not used again, because the gas supply gauge was attached to it. From this time on the two pilots did not know how much gas they had, except by rough estimates, until the main tank was emptied at 7:30 this morning. All the fuel that remained was the forty gallons held in the right wing tank.

HEATER PIPE BREAKS

Thursday night the heater exhaust pipe broke, and from then on the cabin was without heat, but the flyers said they did not suffer from cold. The next trouble, they said, was when the oil line sprung a leak which could not be located, and the oil thrown back from the motor plastered the cabin and windows, so that they had to fly with the windows open.

At 7:30 this morning when they discovered that their fuel supply was down to forty gallons, Chamberlin realized that they would just about equal the record before they were forced to descend. They then started to toss overboard everything that could be spared.

SCATTERED ON FARM

A five-gallon oil can was the first to go. The plane was cruising over Mitchell Field and the can landed about two feet from the side of one of the hangars. Chamberlin said he was purturbed for fear that someone might have been struck, so the plane was flown out over the nearby farming district.

They circled over a plowed field dropping food, thermos bottles, a can with one gallon of water and many other things. Williams suggested that Chamberlin heave his shoes overboard and Chamberlin retaliated by telling Williams to make a parachute out of his shirts.

ALBERTA FEDERATION ELECTS PRESIDENT

CALGARY, Jan. 14.—Fred White, M.P.P., of Calgary, was unanimously re-elected president of the Alberta Federation of Labor at the concluding session of the Federation's convention here on Saturday.

NICARAGUA'S RULER MAY RESIGN OFFICE

MANAGUA, Jan. 14.—Adolfo Diaz, Conservative President of Nicaragua, is considering resigning it was reported today. While official confirmation was not available the United Press was informed on reliable information that Adolfo Diaz, who was brought into office with assurance of support from the United States Government, has become dissatisfied with his position and felt he had insufficient authority. He may present his resignation to Congress within a few days.

WM. CROUCH RE-ELECTED IN SAANICH

First Count Shows That Councillor David Milne Has Been Defeated by Majority of 397 Votes

2,067 EXERCISE THEIR FRANCHISE

Mr. William Stubbs and Mr. George S. Eden Are New Councillors — Mr. Jeune New School Trustee

REEVE William Crouch was re-elected Reeve of Saanich for the second term yesterday with a majority of 397 votes over those cast for his opponent, Councillor David Milne, of Ward Seven.

While the ballots will not be re-checked until 10 o'clock on Monday morning, the figures show that 2,067 persons voted out of 6,522 eligible in Saanich, and 1,080 in the city.

Reeve Crouch's majority was attained in Wards One, Two, Four and Seven, while Wards Three Five and Six sustained Councillor Milne.

For the council from Ward Four, ex-Councillor William Stubbs defeated Councillor McWilliam with the small majority of thirty-four votes. In Ward Seven, Mr. George S. Eden is the new representative, polling 264 votes, while Mr. Henry Holmes polled 162 votes, and Mr. Harry H. Grist only seventy votes.

Mr. Frank V. Hobbs, late chairman of the Board of School Trustees, was returned, as was Trustee Albert E. Horner. Mr. Walter P. Jeune is the new member of the board, polling 1,197 votes, the highest number of any of the candidates.

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Northwest Realty Convention Opens Here on July 18

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 14.—The annual convention of the Pacific Northwest Real Estate Association will be held in Victoria, B.C., July 18 and 19, it was decided here this afternoon at the final conference of the Association's midwinter business meeting.

Today's session was presided over by Mr. Sherwood Williams, of La Grande, who was inaugurated as president Friday night. The convention also adopted a resolution designating the week of April 22 to 28 as a "Buy Your Own Home" week.

EMPIRE OFFERS WIDE MARKETS

MR. AMERY URGES ECONOMIC CO-OPERATION OF BRITISH COUNTRIES

Britain Can Supply Right Material for Population—Good Stock Available

CALGARY, Jan. 14.—Development of a greater co-operation between Canada and Great Britain and the Dominions in the trade relations of these countries was urged by Lieut.-Colonel L. C. M. S. Amery in an address to the Canadian Club today. In return for this co-operation, the speaker said, a greater measure of development of Canada's vast resources would most assuredly result.

Canada, he suggested, was just a little too prone to look toward the United States as a market and not toward Britain and the other Dominions.

"We in Britain are beginning to realize that the best trade, the most hopeful trade, is that with our fellow members of the British Empire," he said.

NOT IMITATION U.S.

He called on Canadians to aim to be, not an inferior, a weaker United States, but rather a greater Britain. Canada's greatness, he reminded his hearers, depended not only on markets within her boundaries, but on the great outside trade.

As to immigration, he called not for a policy of exclusiveness, but a realization of the stock Britain could supply for citizens.

Britain could give Canada the best material for citizenship—not the cast-offs, but men who were approved of by Canada's own government.

CHAMBERLIN TO TRY AGAIN NEXT MONDAY

MITCHELL FIELD, N.Y., Jan. 14.—Undeterred by their failure to create a new world's record for endurance flying, Clarence Chamberlin and Roger Williams announced tonight that they would try again next week, starting at dawn on Monday.

Premier MacLean Is Expected in Vancouver Today

VANCOUVER, Jan. 14.—Premier J. D. MacLean is expected to return from Ottawa tomorrow morning on the Canadian National at 7:25. Hon. E. D. Barrow arrived from Victoria tonight to meet Mr. MacLean.

Queen Marie Busy

BUCHAREST, Jan. 14.—Queen Marie has just celebrated her thirty-fifth wedding anniversary. Marrying King Ferdinand when only seventeen Every year since has been full of stirring happenings and exciting episodes. Today, at fifty-two, the dowager queen is said to look as young as at thirty-five. She works fifteen hours a day, devoting several hours each morning to writing her memoirs.

REEVE EVANS AGAIN CHOSEN

North Cowichan Rejects Plebiscite for Secession of Chemainus District From Municipality

ROADS BY-LAW READILY CARRIES

DUNCAN, Jan. 14.—Great interest was taken in the North Cowichan election, held here today.

Reeve John N. Evans, veteran head of the municipality, improved his lead over Mr. R. H. Smiley, who gave him a close fight in 1927, the figures being: Evans, 398; Smiley, 210.

The dissatisfaction in Chemainus Ward and in part of Westholme over association with North Cowichan municipality had led to a petition for a plebiscite on secession, and this plebiscite was rejected by 310 to 111. In Chemainus the vote was 39 to 31, and in Westholme 26 to 12 in favor of secession, but as will be seen from the figures, the movement had little support at other polls.

The by-law to raise $18,000 for road improvements was carried by 314 votes to 108.

Polling in the wards was as follows:

Somenos Ward—Robert Coates, 81, defeated Councillor G. A. Tisdall, 68.

Quamichan Ward—T. J. Paull, 75, defeated Councillor Mark Green, 45.

In Comiaken Ward, Councillor E. S. Fox, and in Chemainus Ward, Councillor C. H. Price, were elected by acclamation.

Duncan Consolidated School Board (one for two-year term)—Philip Webster Stanhope, 272, defeated J. H. Wood, 178.

North Cowichan Municipal School Board (three to be elected)—R. E. Barkley, 346; C. D. B. Ross, 313; N. F. Lang, 298; Mrs. Jeanette Toynbee, 278.

The first two sit for two years, and Mr. Lang for one year.

Mr. Francis Stead Dies

LONDON, Jan. 14.—Francis H. Stead, noted editor and social worker, died at his home at Blackheath today.

Francis Herbert Stead was the brother of William T. Stead, editor of the Review of Reviews, who was drowned when the steamship Titanic sank in mid-ocean after a collision with an iceberg in April, 1912. Francis Herbert Stead, born in 1857, was warden of the Robert Browning settlement, Walworth, from 1894 to 1901. He was assistant editor of Review of Reviews and editor of the Independent Nonconformist. With others he was instrumental in initiating a series of conferences from which sprung the national committee on old age pensions in 1898.

FAMOUS FIRMS MERGE FORCES

Furness-Withy Company Unites With Cairn Line Owners—Large Fleets Involved

LONDON, Jan. 14.—Two leading shipping firms, the Furness-Withy Company, of London, and the Cairn Line Steamships, of Newcastle-on-Tyne, both with large interests in Canada and the United States, have reached a working agreement whereby their ships and resources will operate towards a common end. The shares of both companies will be exchanged, while representatives of each company will sit on both directorates. Seven million pounds sterling in capital are involved.

The Furness-Withy Company owns a very large fleet of passenger liners, cargo vessels, motorships and steamers, and in addition control the Prince Line and the Johnston Line. The company's ships are well known in Saint John and Montreal. A weekly Canadian service is also operated by the Cairn Line. Sir Frederick W. Lewis is the chairman of Furness-Withy and Sir William J. Noble, chairman of the Cairn Line. The capital of the former company is £5,000,000. The capital of the latter totals £1,500,000.

One of the directors of the Cairn organization is Col. W. L. Gear, of Montreal.

VETERANS AIM AT EDUCATION FOR CHILDREN

Provincial Command of Army and Navy to Discuss With Government Needs of Orphans and Others

OFFICERS CHOSEN FOR THE NEW YEAR

Canteen Funds Issue Goes Over to Permit of Conference With Other Ex-Service Bodies

THE provincial command of the Army and Navy Veterans, in convention here yesterday, dealt with a most important matter which seeks provision by government assistance of educational advantages to the children of veterans who cannot afford to carry this effort out themselves.

The plan in view is based upon that which is being worked in the Province of Saskatchewan, and which is reported to be operating well. Not alone is the aid that it is proposed to give these children to be for the purpose of bettering the position of the children in the fight in life, but it is advanced for the purpose of aiding society in keeping these children out of the way of falling into crime, and taking the downward course in life, thus complicating the conditions for society.

The proposal has already been brought before Premier MacLean as the Minister of Education, and the matter will be taken to the Government to ask for legislation similar to the Saskatchewan act.

Under the plan an amount up to $300 would be available for the orphans of ex-service men, or children, for which provision could not be made, to be devoted to aiding them in the line of taking a course in school work that would pass them through the high school course. In cases where the children were employed, provision would be made for additional training by correspondence courses, or under the supervision of teachers, so that they might take this course.

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MEN RESCUED IN HEAVY SEA

SAN DIEGO FREIGHTER CAPSIZES IN HEAVY SEAS—TWO IN BUNKS

Clinging to Bottom of Upturned Craft Two Are Repeatedly Swept Off—About to Give Up

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 14.—Battered for hours by heavy seas as they clung to their overturned lobster freighter fourteen miles below San Diego, Captain Joe Marino and the crew of two of the Kasumi were rescued at noon today by the fishing boat Pearl, captained by Luigi Guidi, just as the shipwrecked men had given up hope.

The Kasumi, laden with ten tons of lobsters was heading for San Diego when heavy seas and its towering load caused disaster. Captain Marino and a Mexican boy, member of the crew, were in their bunks below decks, and Mate Bartolo Sardo was steering, when a heavy surge struck the Kasumi abeam. It heeled over rapidly. The overturned craft was about three miles from shore.

Waves swept the men into the ocean time after time, after their numbed fingers had lost their grip. Just as the men had about given up hope, and after Captain Marino was on the verge of exhaustion, the Pearl hove in sight.

One of the men stood up on the slippery sea-swept stern to wave a plank. That was the only distress signal the mariners had.

PROHIBITION ARMY RECRUITS WANTED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—The United States Civil Service Commission probably will act soon to prevent a shortage of prohibition agents under the new civil service law. Officials said today that the commission would give a new examination to some of the 15,000 to 20,000 applicants for 2,600 jobs.

Prohibition Commissioner Doran said that a second examination might be given, which would lay more emphasis on character and experience and less on mental agility.

In Seattle Accident

SEATTLE, Jan. 14. — Mrs. S. Goves, Busby Street, Vancouver, B.C., became a patient at the Virginia Mason Hospital, instead of a passenger to her home aboard the Canadian Pacific Line's day boat today, as the result of the taxicab in which she and her husband were riding to the dock being hit by another vehicle on Railroad Avenue in front of Pier Eight here.

Former Newspaperman Turns Novelist

MR. ERNEST HEMINGWAY

Whose recent volumes, "The Sun Also Rises" and "Men Without Women," have been best sellers and also highly acclaimed by the critics. Mr. Hemingway was at one time a Canadian newspaperman and covered several post-war conventions in Europe as a special correspondent. During the war he served with the Italian forces and latterly has been living in Paris.

CLOSE CONTEST IN ESQUIMALT

Small Majorities for School Trustees — Council and School Board Are Now Interlocked

COUNCILLOR HEALD HEADS THE POLLS

Councillor Albert Heald, Councillor C. H. Smith and Trustee Thomas Hadfield were elected to the Esquimalt Council in the order named at the polls yesterday, and Councillor Alexander Lockley, Trustee Mrs. Elizabeth Isbister and Mr. J. A. Crompton were elected to the School Board. A total of 714 people, out of 1,361 eligible, went to the polls.

For the first time in municipal history, as far as the southern end of Vancouver Island is concerned, two representatives on the Council will also sit on the School Board.

The votes cast yesterday in Esquimalt signified a keen interest in municipal affairs, for even though there was no reeveship contest or money by-law to be voted on, slightly over fifty per cent of the electorate turned out.

For Council there were eight candidates and of this field Councillor Heald headed the poll with 357 votes. Councillor C. H. Smith was runner-up with 296 votes and Trustee Hadfield third with 274 votes.

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Changes Made in British Ministry Given in Detail

LONDON, Jan. 14.—The following ministerial changes were announced officially last night: Major Sir George Hennessy becomes treasurer of His Majesty's Household; Major William Copp, Comptroller of the Household; F. C. Thomson, Vice-Chamberlain of the Household; H. G. Williams, M.P., becomes Parliamentary Secretary of the Board of Trade, succeeding Sir Robert Burton Chadwick; Commodore H. Douglas King becomes Secretary for Mines, succeeding Colonel George Lane Fox; A. Duff-Cooper becomes Financial Secretary to the War Office, succeeding H. Douglas King; F. G. Penny and the Marquiss of Titchfield become Junior Lords of the Treasury, unpaid. Captain Euan Wallace and Sir Victor Warrender are appointed assistant whips.

SIR HUGH DENNISON SAILS VIA BRITAIN

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Sir Hugh Dennison, Commissioner for Australia, sailed for home today. While a definite announcement regarding his successor will not be announced by the Australian government until his arrival in the Dominion, Sir Hugh said the work will be carried on by D. M. Dow, as official Secretary of the Commonwealth of Australia in the United States.

Sir Hugh and Lady Dennison are proceeding to Australia via London, sailing today on the steamer Minnewaska for England.

Kamloops Election

KAMLOOPS, Jan. 14.—Election results here today were as follows:

Mayor—James W. Moffatt, acclamation. Aldermen—A. E. Shaw, 383; G. R. Williams, 332; D. W. Rowlands, 286. Police Commissioner—A. A. Meigen, 386 (elected); C. D. B. Brown, 314.

School Trustees—F. M. Davis, 333; G. F. Dradge, 324; Mrs. Maude Alice Whitmore, 315.

By-election, vacancy on council by retirement of J. W. Moffatt—T. Howell, 333; R. McCall, 321.

British Parties Plan Platforms to Present At General Election

All Minds Turn to Coming Contest to Decide Which Party Shall Form Next Government—Government Likely to Appeal on Record—Liberals Raise Economy Issue

Proposed Nationalization of Mines Is Most Sensational Policy Offered

LONDON, Jan. 14.—With the minds of all parties turned towards the next general election, there is much speculation as to whether the Government will present the taxpayers with a reduction. Chancellor of the Exchequer Winston Churchill is credited with the intention of making some move in this direction, but the Government is keeping the secret closely guarded.

Meanwhile Sir Godfrey Collins, Liberal, has said that the income tax could be reduced to a half-crown per pound. He also suggests that the Government should scrap the five and a quarter million pounds spent on Imperial preference, and that the Empire Marketing Board should cut the subsidy to the sugar beet industry, and should also save thirty million pounds annually in armaments. Sir Godfrey's speech indicates that the Liberals are hoping to win votes by an economic programme with promises of a reduction in taxation, and politicians are wondering what Mr. Churchill will do in reply to this move.

Imposition of a surtax will certainly be one of the planks in the Labor platform in the election despite the objections of Philip Snowden, former Chancellor of the Exchequer, who condemns the purposes for which Labor will devote the proceeds. In making the above declaration, Arthur Henderson, prominent Labor leader, speaking at Burnley, said that Labor was unanimously agreed about the surtax and that it would undoubtedly be enforced if the party comes into power. An "unauthorized programme," but which may be adopted by Labor as a solution to the mining problem, has also been revealed. It provides for nationalization of mines, but the most striking is a board of control for the industry, the members of which will receive ten thousand pounds sterling annually. This, coming from Labor, is regarded with much amazement. The scheme also provides for a state issue of bonds to the amount of £260,000,000 for the purchase of the industry and the creation of district boards of management. Cook and other Laborites refuse to comment on the plan, which follows the demand for nationalization as one of the planks of the Labor platform.

Mounted Police In New York City Break Up March

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Police broke up a demonstration outside the gates of the Brooklyn Navy Yard today when 400 men and women paraded in protest against American intervention in Nicaragua. The marchers described themselves with placards and leaflets as members of the Young Workers' League and the Workers (Communist) Party, S. Williams Gerson, whom police described as a leader in the demonstration, was arrested and charged with disorderly conduct and attempting to incite a riot.

The paraders were dispersed by mounted police three times before the demonstration ended. In their final effort police used their clubs.

MOSUL OIL FIELD SETTLEMENT MADE

PARIS, Jan. 14.—A definite agreement between the United States, Great Britain and France, will be signed at an early date in regard to the Mosul oil fields, Foreign Minister Briand announced at a joint meeting of the foreign affairs and petroleum committees of the Chamber of Deputies.

He said the agreement assured France direct participation in the exploitation of the field on an equal footing with United States and British companies.

WOMAN SHERIFF PROVES CONTROL

Thirty-Three Disrespectful Prisoners Sent to Bed Supperless and Drenched With Water

SYCAMORE, Ill., Jan. 14.—Before the end of her first day as sheriff of De Kalb County, Mrs. Helena Dolder demonstrated to the ninety-two prisoners in her jail who was boss around the place. She sent thirty-three of them to bed supperless and drenched with water from a fire hose. Mrs. Dolder took office Thursday. The same evening there was much for supper, and it did not meet with the approval of her unwilling guests. The thirty-three rebels against mush and matriarchal rule turned down their plates and turned up their noses. So far as Mrs. Dolder was concerned, that was all right. They could eat it or not, she said.

VOCAL DISAPPROVAL

But she did not like it when their disapproval became vocal. The thirty-three gathered in the bull pen and began to shout lustily, "When do we eat?" Then, to add to the clamor, they started beating their tin plates with their spoons. As the noise grew louder, an order was issued for silence. Blithely the prisoners disregarded it. Their shouts grew louder that they were tired already of petticoat rule and wanted a man sheriff, and some meat to eat. A second order was given and no attention was paid to it. Then came the order for all to move back to their cells. "Who'll put us in?" came the taunting cry from the thirty-three throats. Mrs. Dolder went into action. She and her deputies loosed the fire hoses and adjusted the nozzles, released the water, and in a few minutes the trouble was all over.

POTATO GROWER BLOWS TRUMPET

MR. HAMMOND AGAIN SAYS HE WILL FORCE TEST OF MARKET ACT

Former Attempt "Frustrated," He Says—Has Violated Act Now, He Announces

VANCOUVER, Jan. 14.—"I am putting the issue straight up to the Market Control Board," said W. H. Hammond, potato grower, on his return to Vancouver from Ashcroft.

"I have bought, shipped and sold "B" and "C" grade potatoes without regard to the board or its regulations and in defiance of them, this week. I have written to the board, giving them details of the transactions, and I would like to know what they are going to do about it," added Mr. Hammond.

"If I was frustrated in my first attempt to break this alleged law, I have certainly smashed it now. I have done everything that the Market Control Board said I must not do. Now it is up to the board to move, if they think they have any basis for action," he continued.

Mr. Hammond defies the board in his letter to it, and challenges arrest.

FORMALITIES ATTEND JAPANESE WEDDING

TOKIO, Jan. 14.—Because the Imperial Household is busy drawing up the budget for the coronation of Emperor Hirohito, decision regarding the date and other formalities for the marriage of Prince Chichibu, heir apparent to Setsu Matsudaira, is not expected until February.

It has not been decided whether Tsuneo Matsudaira, Japanese ambassador to Washington and father of the prospective bride, will be created a peer, or whether Setsu will be adopted by the Viscount Matsudaira. In any case, the Imperial messenger is expected to make the formal proposal of marriage to Viscount Matsudaira, who is head of the family, and thus save a trip to Washington. Ambassador Matsudaira and his family are expected to return to Tokio in June to complete final arrangements for the wedding.

TO SPEED WORK ON TECHNICAL SCHOOL

VANCOUVER, Jan. 14.—Expectations are still entertained by the Vancouver School Board that work will be speeded up sufficiently on the new Technical High School to take advantage of the Government grant of $100,000 available until the end of the present Government fiscal year in March.

JAPAN AGREES TO PROPOSALS OF U.S.

TOKIO, Jan. 14.—Japanese authorities said unofficially today that Japan agreed in principle with the latest United States note to France on the proposal to renounce war, and Japan was willing at any time to enter upon a discussion toward a general treaty for the promotion of world peace.

From the Colonist Tower

Sunday, January 15

14th Day, 1928

THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity: Light to moderate winds, continued fine, and cold at night.

Sun Rises: 8:03 o'clock.
Sun sets: 4:43 o'clock.

High Tide: 9:08 a.m., 9.0 feet.
Low Tide: 1:11 a.m., 5.2 feet.

Sport

Toronto Maple Leafs defeat Rangers by big score. Maroons and Bruins chalk up wins.

Mehlhorn leads Long Beach golf tournament by two strokes. Von Elm second.

16th Scottish win first half of senior Rugby series by stopping United Services.

Victoria Wests defeat Saanich Thistles. Referee calls off Victoria City-Esquimalt game, following late arrival of former team.

Tex Rickard is disappointed by showing of Heeney and Sharkey. To start other eliminations.

One-sided wins are registered in Intermediate Rugby. Brentwood College and University School gain victories.

U.S.L.T.A. to help professional players.

The News

Local and Provincial—

Army and Navy Veterans to discuss with Provincial Government educational needs of veterans' children.

Reeve John N. Evans re-elected in North Cowichan.

Northwest Realty convention to be held here July 18-19.

Close contest features Esquimalt municipal election.

Reeve Crouch re-elected in Saanich by majority of 397 votes.

Municipal election results in Greater Victoria, Island, Greater Vancouver and Fraser Valley.

Ashcroft rancher announces new challenge to Market Board.

Premier MacLean expected in Vancouver this morning on return from Ottawa and Montreal.

Dominion, Imperial and Foreign—

British parties indicate issues on which appeal will be made at approaching general election.

Aviators attempting endurance flight record have many mishaps.

Rescue at sea.

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Carrier Current Transmission to Be Given Coast

VANCOUVER, Jan. 14.—Changes in the transmission of telegraphic messages by the Canadian National Telegraph system are announced by R. W. Ball, general superintendent of the Western region. Within three months Vancouver will be connected by direct telegraph and "carrier current" transmission with Montreal. The carrier current system multiplies the capacity of the company's wires by ten and makes possible simultaneous transmission of a total of eighty-four Morse and automatic code messages over one pair of wires.

The Canadian National has already completed installation of the necessary equipment between Montreal and Winnipeg and part of the equipment required at Vancouver is in place. "This ultra modernization of our telegraph service will cost the Canadian National system $2,500,000," says Mr. Ball.

SCOUTS AND CUBS

St. Mary's Scouts and Cubs will put on a concert and display at St. Mary's Hall, Oak Bay, on January 21. Several well-known amateurs will assist. Admission for adults is twenty-five cents, and for children ten cents.

The Victoria Central Bus and Stage Plans Nearly Completed

Proposals for the renting of the undermentioned Greasing, Oiling and Washing Station, Motor Accessories Shop and two stores fronting on Broughton Street, adjoining the main Bus and Stage entrance on the east side. As the dividing partition has not been constructed between the two stores, there is still time to convert the space into one large store, planned to suit a desirable tenant. For particulars, please apply to

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VETERANS AIM AT EDUCATION FOR CHILDREN

Provincial Command of Army and Navy to Discuss With Government Needs of Orphans and Others

OFFICERS CHOSEN FOR THE NEW YEAR

Canteen Funds Issue Goes Over to Permit of Conference With Other Ex-Service Bodies

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The theory was advanced that in so doing, society would be materially assisted, inasmuch as a pupil who had obtained an education of this standing would be removed in no small measure from the danger of petty crime, and have a higher incentive created that would stand by him through the remainder of his life.

CANTEEN FUNDS

Another matter that came before the gathering yesterday was that of the vexed question of dealing with the canteen funds or the allotment of them that has been assigned to the Province of British Columbia.

It was decided to recommend to the other ex-service bodies in the province that there should be a conference representative of all of them, when the matter should be discussed, and some solution found that would be generally acceptable.

This will be proceeded with at once. Representations will be made to the various other organizations before the annual meeting of the Canadian Legion, so that that body may take action if it sees fit to do so at the gathering.

A change was made at the meeting yesterday, in the constitution, whereby in future the association will meet quarterly. The next meeting will be held in Nanaimo on April 14.

Officers were elected yesterday as follows: President, Mr. F. H. Wiggins, of New Westminster; first vice-president, Mr. A. A. Moore, of Ladysmith; second vice-president, Mr. P. Stockdale, of South Vancouver; secretary-treasurer, Mr. W. Taylor, of New Westminster; chaplain, Rev. A. H. Hooper.

The meetings during the day were held in the rooms of the Army and Navy Club in this city. In the evening the delegates were the guests of the local unit, No. 12, at a banquet given in the dining-room of the Chamber of Commerce.

On that occasion only two toasts were on the list. One of them was to the King, and the other the "Silent Tribute."

During the evening, however, speeches were delivered by practically all the visiting delegates, and compliments paid to the entertainment accorded by the local unit.

SPEECHES AT DINNER

Mr. Charles Jasper, vice-president of the Victoria unit, presided at the banquet, and extended a hearty welcome to the delegates, hoping they would enjoy to the very fullest the hospitality of the city.

The provincial president, Mr. Wiggins, in replying to this, lauded the welcome always given by the Victoria unit.

Messrs. C. G. Callin and A. A. Moore, both of Ladysmith, praised Victoria for the assistance that had been given their unit by Victoria. They also paid a compliment to the good work always done by the local manager, Captain Money, who was always ready to assist the Ladysmith unit when called upon with his advice.

Mr. J. H. Hinchliffe, M.P.P., advised the association to keep in view at all times the double functions of the body—that of fellowship and sociability, and that of assistance to those in need.

Mr. W. Taylor, of New Westminster, outlined the work of aiding the children, which was being endorsed by the association. The body had grown in the year from 960 members to 1,560.

The Army and Navy Veterans aided all ex-service men and dependents who were in need. It was the duty of the organization to see that every veteran got good full justice.

Mr. George Gardiner, first vice-president of the Dominion Command, outlined what was being done by the body, and he said wonderful results had been achieved during the past six months.

Messrs. S. Rawlinson, of Victoria; A. H. Downe, of Victoria; G. Tucker, of South Vancouver, and L. F. Lepas, of Ladysmith, all spoke of the good work being done.

Captain C. F. L. Money was given a splendid reception, having been referred to by various speakers before he rose, as a model manager who was doing a worthy work as the local manager. He touched upon the relief work being done by the local unit, stating that in many instances this was done without the general knowledge of the public. Before Christmas time every case in the city, and in the southern part of Vancouver Island was looked after.

Mr. C. G. McBride, of Victoria, Mr. W. De Gruchy, and others spoke before the meeting closed.

After that the delegates adjourned to the clubroom to wind up the business before leaving for their homes.

MR. DALY BUYS MINE

VANCOUVER, Jan. 14.—Pat Daly, one of the prominent figures in the colorful mining life of the Portland Canal district, and who handled the Premier, Big Missouri and other properties there, announces that on Thursday he completed a deal whereby he and his associates came into possession of Mountain Boy. The price is $250,000. Mr. Daly left Thursday for Montreal to discuss with his principals plans for immediate development of the property.

Unseats Councillor G. McWilliam

MR. WILLIAM STUBBS
Who attained Council honors from Ward Four, Saanich, with a majority of thirty-eight votes yesterday.

REEVE PATON DEFEATED IN POINT GREY

Doughty Head of Point Grey Municipality Loses to Former Reeve — Largest Vote on Record

MR. FROMME SWEEPS NORTH VANCOUVER

All Six Divisions in Outer Vancouver Return Old Hands — Fraser Valley Results

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FRASER VALLEY

Other results: Maple Ridge—Reeve, J. B. Martyn, 407, elected; W. H. Ansell 321, F. J. Ashe 56. Kent—Reeve, John Macrae (acclamation). Langley—D. W. Poppy (acclamation). Pitt Meadows—W. D. Bruce (acclamation). Delta—A. D. Patterson, M.P.P. (acclamation). Fraser Mills—F. G. Wrightson (acclamation). Chilliwack—W. M. Wells (acclamation). Mission—W. H. Wreb 271, elected; R. E. Knight 63. Tadanac—E. M. Stiles (acclamation). Coldstream—W. R. Morris (acclamation). Surrey—Tom Reid, elected, 1,087; F. J. Mackenzie 616.

Famous Men to Be Pallbearers of Thomas Hardy

The efforts of Great Britain to honor Hardy is indicated by the list of distinguished pallbearers at the Westminster Abbey funeral made public today. Premier Baldwin heads the list. Others are J. Ramsay MacDonald, Rudyard Kipling, George Bernard Shaw, Sir James Barrie and a distinguished representative from Oxford and Cambridge universities.

VIENNA REVIVES FORMER GAIETIES

VIENNA, Jan. 14.—Memories of Austria's brilliant court ceremonies and the social splendor of "the age of salons," when Vienna's genius and beauty once reigned, were recalled tonight when more than 4,000 persons attended a revival of the once famous masked ball at the Imperial Opera House. For the brief six hours of enjoyment, 800 architects, decorators and craftsmen worked days to convert the opera house into the largest ballroom in Europe, lighted with 8,000 electric bulbs and ornamented with fifty truck loads of the rarest plants and flowers.

The festival was attended by President Hainisch, the foreign diplomats and the most prominent persons in Vienna's world of art, science and fashion. All the women wore masks.

B.C. Goat Breeders

The regular monthly meeting of the Victoria branch of the British Columbia Goat Breeders' Association will be held Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the Y.M.C.A. Building. Among other items of business will be the election of officers for the new year.

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WM. CROUCH RE-ELECTED IN SAANICH

First Count Shows That Councillor David Milne Has Been Defeated by Majority of 397 Votes

2,067 EXERCISE THEIR FRANCHISE

Mr. William Stubbs and Mr. George S. Eden Are New Councillors — Mr. Jeune New School Trustee

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The polling results are as follows:

FOR REEVE

	*Crouch	Milne
Ward One	141	84
Ward Two	263	60
Ward Three	66	99
Ward Four	261	142
Ward Five	33	134
Ward Six	26	250
Ward Seven	442	66
Totals	1,232	835

FOR COUNCIL—WARD FOUR

*William Stubbs	216
George McWilliam	182
Majority	34

FOR COUNCIL—WARD SEVEN

*G. S. Eden	264
H. Holmes	162
H. H. Grist	70
Majority	98

*Denotes candidate elected.

FOR SCHOOL BOARD

	Cheetham	Hobbs	Horner	Jeune	Tomes
Ward One	79	109	151	137	64
Ward Two	134	150	116	206	178
Ward Three	64	93	97	95	45
Ward Four	233	207	152	196	146
Ward Five	74	107	81	103	44
Ward Six	83	162	160	177	70
Ward Seven	167	185	159	263	341
Total	834	1,013	936	1,197	890

Hobbs, Horner and Jeune elected.

MAKES STATEMENT

Reeve Crouch has been confined to his home several days, but last evening gave out the following statement:

"My sincere thanks to the voters of Saanich, for my faith in them was well placed that they would return a man who fought and tried to carry out their wishes as expressed by the overwhelming majority against the tax on improvements last year. If the wishes of the people are not to prevail what is the use of voting? I deeply appreciate the trust and confidence that they have again placed in me and I shall try to do the best I can for the Municipality of Saanich, as I did in 1927."

Councillor David Milne went down to defeat smiling, saying that he wished to heartily thank all those who had supported him and helped him with his campaign for the reeveship.

CLOSE CONTEST IN ESQUIMALT

Small Majorities for School Trustees — Council and School Board Are Now Interlocked

COUNCILLOR HEALD HEADS THE POLLS

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A recount may be necessary before the three elected last night can be officially named as representatives to the School Board. Mr. J. A. Crompton and Mr. Neil Fraser had a close contest, Mr. Fraser losing the third seat on the School Board by only three votes. Councillor Lockley headed the poll for trustee with 355 votes. Trustee Mrs. Isbister came second with 342 votes and Major J. A. P. Crompton third with 316 votes. Mr. Fraser had 313 votes, being only three votes behind Major Crompton.

OUTSTANDING FEATURE

Probably the most outstanding feature in the Esquimalt election, apart from the close race between Major Crompton and Mr. Fraser, is that a member of the Council has been elected to the School Board, and a member of the School Board elected to the Council.

Councillor Lockley has another year to serve on the Council and will now serve two years on the School Board as a result of yesterday's election. Trustee Hadfield has one more year to serve on the School Board and will now start on a two-year term on the Council. Both men agree that the Council representation on the School Board will bring about closer co-operation between the two bodies, particularly with regard to estimates.

Councillor Heald, who was re-elected to the Council, has served on the Council for five years, and during the past year was chairman of the finance committee.

Councillor C. H. Smith, who was also re-elected to the Council, has served on that board for three years.

Trustee Hadfield, elected to the Council for the first time, will serve two years on that board before retiring or seeking re-election. Prior to this he has served on the School Board for three years and before that on the Police Commission for two years.

In winning a seat on the School Board, Councillor Lockley will be rounding out his municipal experience. He served the municipality for five years as reeve, being elected six times and having to seek office twice in one year. For two years prior to that he served as councillor. He has also served on the Police Commission for eight years and now starts on a two-year term on the School Board.

MAKES HIS DEBUT

Major J. A. Crompton, who is entering municipal work for the first time in Esquimalt, previously served four years on the Creston School Board in the Interior of British Columbia.

Trustee Mrs. Isbister has just completed her sixth year on the School Board. During the year she was chairman of the Board.

Of the 1,361 eligible voters, 714 voted yesterday, 603 in polling district No. 2 and 101 at poll No. 1.

The results of the election by polling districts are as follows:

FOR COUNCIL

	Poll No. 1	Poll No. 2	Total
Heald, Albert	304	53	357
Smith, C. H.	260	28	296
Hadfield, Thomas	224	50	274
Comerford, Mrs. E.	223	35	258
Neild, H. A.	228	18	246
Dent, R. W.	194	41	235
Saddler, A. W.	116	20	136
Hodgson, George	90	21	111
Spoilt	11	4	15

FOR TRUSTEE

	Poll No. 1	Poll No. 2	Total
Lockley, Alexander	295	60	355
Isbister, Mrs. E.	286	56	342
Crompton, J. A.	257	59	316
Fraser, Neil	285	31	313
Cook, Frank	287	23	310
Fea, J. L.	185	29	214
Spoilt	5	0	5

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Elected Candidates Interlock Boards

MR. THOMAS HADFIELD

MR. ALEXANDER LOCKLEY

With the election of Trustee Hadfield to the Esquimalt Council, and Councillor Lockley to the school board, an interlocking of the two bodies has been brought about. This feature of the Esquimalt election is expected to create considerable interest throughout the province, for municipal councils have long been agitating to the Provincial Legislature for representation on the school board. The annual estimates and the steady increase in the cost of education has been the cause of this agitation. In Esquimalt the object has been attained and the closer co-operation between the two boards will undoubtedly be followed with keen interest.

REMARKABLE SHIP

PARIS, Jan. 14.—There is being built in Paris a ship which will cross from Cherbourg to New York. It is claimed, in sixty hours on the surface of the water, and can travel in all sorts of weather, which an airplane can not. Some time in April, it is hoped, this adventure in quick transportation will be undertaken. The mystery ship will leave at dawn one day from Cherbourg and will enter New York harbor two and a half days later. Storms, the designers say, will not affect it. Even in rough weather it will make between forty and fifty knots an hour. In calm weather it can make seventy.

Open Forum

At the Open Forum tonight, Mr. W. Moriarty, of Toronto, will speak on "The Labor Movement—Left or Right." The lecture will be followed by the usual discussion. On Wednesday evening the Forum committee has arranged to hold a social evening, when an interesting programme is promised. These events will be held in Forum Hall, 717 Pandora Avenue.

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VAULT PREPARED IN ABBEY FLOOR

LONDON, Jan. 14.—Westminster Abbey echoed tonight to the unwonted sounds of a dozen masons and other workers preparing by dim lamps, according to ancient customs in secrecy, a narrow vault in the floor of the Poets' Corner for the reception of the ashes of Thomas Hardy. The body of the noted novelist was cremated this afternoon at Woking with brief and simple ceremony. Sir James M. Barrie and two intimate friends were the only witnesses. They conveyed the urn with the ashes to London, where it reposed tonight about the altar in St. Faith Chapel, opening off the Poets' Corner. Here, lighted by candles, it will remain until Monday's ceremony.

There will be three simultaneous services on Monday afternoon; one at the Abbey, another at the interment of the novelist's heart at St. Insford, and a memorial service at St. Peter's, Dorchester.

Painter Dies

WASHINGTON, Conn., Jan. 14.—Harry Siddens Mowbray, nationally-known painter of murals, died at his home here last night, after a week's illness, of pneumonia. He was sixty-nine years old. His wife, critically ill of the same disease, was not told of his death. Their two children, Henry and Elizabeth, are recovering from influenza.

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A commercial traveler who lost his voice through fright at Bristol, England, had it restored by a similar scare. While in the Bristol Zoo he was startled by a baboon which sprang against the bars of its cage toward him. As a result of the shock the man lost his voice completely. Doctors were unable to help him, but a few days later he recovered his speech when two speeding automobiles seemed about to crash near the spot where he stood.

CITY RECEIVES TIMBER MONEY

FURTHER PAYMENT OF $8,000 PAID BY BROKERS ON ACCOUNT

Money Goes to Reduce Mortgage on Old Esquimalt Waterworks Undertaking

City officials yesterday acknowledged with thanks receipt of a further payment of $8,000 from Messrs. Fairservice & Guernin, Timber brokers, on account of the purchase price of timber on the Goldstream watershed.

Under a supplementary agreement reached last year, after months of negotiations, the firm agreed to pay $340,000 for the merchantable timber on selected portions of the watershed and to pay therefor at the rate of $8,000 each quarter. The unpaid balance carries interest at five and a half per cent per annum. Interest is the first charge against each of these quarterly payments and the residue is applied in reduction of principal. The loggers have now paid upwards of $42,000. The money is applied to reduce the Dunsmuir mortgage on the old Esquimalt Waterworks undertaking. The agreement between the firm and the city provides that no logging operations shall be undertaken on the scenic parts of the property, such as Goldstream Flats and the borders of the famous Malahat Drive.

City officials yesterday morning pointed out that every dollar collected from the loggers is a dollar saved to consumers of water, who otherwise would have to provide the necessary funds to retire the mortgage on the property.

Angry Husband—But you promised to obey when you married me.

Obstinate Wife—Of course. I didn't want to make a scene in church.

Russian Draws Music From Thin Air

PROF. Leo. Theremin, Russian expert on engineering, gave a demonstration recently in London, England, by standing in front of what looked to be a home-made radio set and producing musical effects by moving his hands through space. Above is a picture of Professor Theremin, left, beside the instrument with which he held the audience spellbound. In the centre is Edwin Evans, musical critic, and, right, Sir Oliver Lodge, who gave a scientific lecture on the new invention.

THREE ORIENTALS ARE COMMITTED

Magistrate Jay Sends Alleged Opium Sellers Up for Trial—Bail is Fixed at $4,000 Each

Wah Lung Wong, Wong Seong and Yue Ling, who are jointly charged with selling opium on January 3, 1928, were committed for trial yesterday by Magistrate George Jay in the city police court.

The three Chinamen, who were arrested through the combined efforts of members of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police and the Victoria police forces, had elected trial by a higher court. The preliminary hearing of the case opened in the city police court on Friday, when seven witnesses for the prosecution gave evidence, and a remand was granted until yesterday.

When the hearing was resumed yesterday morning, Mr. Stuart Henderson, counsel for accused, stated that his clients would reserve their defence. The magistrate then committed them for trial.

Following the hearing, Mr. Henderson applied to His Honor Judge P. S. Lampman in the County Court for bail.

Judge Lampman fixed bail at $4,000, in two sureties, for each of the three accused.

Police Board to Hold Its Initial Session Thursday

THE first meeting of the 1928 City Police Commission will be held next Thursday night, at 8 o'clock, in the courtroom at the Police Station, Fisgard Street.

The board is composed of Mayor J. Carl Pendray, chairman, and Commissioners Walter E. Staneland and William White. Owing to the absence of Mayor Pendray in California, Acting Mayor William Marchant will preside as chairman at Thursday's meeting.

Presentation of the report of the police department for the past twelve months and consideration of the 1928 police estimates will be two of the chief matters of business which will engage the attention of the commission at its initial meeting this week.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS

CANADIAN SCOTTISH

Canadian Scottish, No. 39.—Battalion Orders, Part 1, by Lieut.-Colonel D. B. Martyn, D.S.O., M.C., Commanding 1st Battalion (16th C.E.F.), The Canadian Scottish Regiment. January 12, 1928.

Duties—Duties for the week ending January 24, 1928. Officer for the week, Capt. F. J. B. Stevenson; next for duty, Capt. A. J. Gray. Battalion orderly sergeant, Sgt. J. S. Adam; next for duty, Sgt. W. Gilbert. Battalion orderly corporal, Cpl. W. G. Crossley; next for duty, Cpl. R. J. Jackson.

Parades—The Battalion will parade as strong as possible at the Drill Hall, Bay Street, on Tuesday next, January 17, at 8:15 o'clock. Dress, drill order.

Training—Companies will fall in on their company parade grounds at 8:15 o'clock; 8:15-8:25 p.m., Inspection by O.C. companies; 8:25 p.m., companies form up on markers; 8:30 p.m., inspection by Officer Commanding. Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 Companies, Infantry Training, Vol. I: sections 94 to 100, 101 to 111; Nos. 7 and 8 Platoons, Miniature Range, under Sgt. A. E. Ashe and Sgt. A. E. Regan; signallers, under Capt. F. T. M. Lake, M.C.; stretcher bearers, under Sgt. E. J. Harwood; Lewis gun instruction, Lieut. V. G. F. Barton. 9.30 to 10 p.m., sports for all ranks; the swimming tank will be available for use after parade.

Royal School of Infantry, Esquimalt—Candidates for the school will report to the Adjutant on Tuesday, January 17, at 8:15 p.m., for instructions regarding medical examination.

NOTICE

Lecture—Captain P. R. M. Wallis, M.C., will lecture to the Battalion on Tuesday, next, January 17; subject, "History of the Canadian Scottish Regiment up to 1915."

Sergeants' Mess Meeting — All members of the Sergeants' Mess are asked to attend a meeting on January 19, at 8 p.m. to discuss special business.

Dance—The Sergeants' regular monthly dance will be held on Friday, January 20.

D. R. SARGENT,
Major and Adjutant,
1st. Battalion, (16th C.E.F.) Canadian Scottish Regiment.

DIVISIONAL TRAIN, C.A.S.C.

Horse Transport Company 11, the Divisional Train C.A.S.C., will parade for annual inspection by the G.O.C. at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, January 19, at the Armories.

As this is the annual muster parade it is obligatory for all ranks to attend.

HUGH ALLAN (Capt.)

These Women!
By J. H. Striebel

The grand Dessert Derby is on, and at present it's an even bet as to who will get under the wire first. There's only one big tart on the plate, and politeness requires that it go to the lady. But we wonder!

With the Ex-Service Organizations
In Victoria and District

PRO PATRIA DINNER

The annual dinner of the Pro Patria Branch of the Canadian Legion will be held in the auditorium of the Chamber of Commerce on Friday, at 7 p.m. In addition to the speakers and artists, this function will be livened by selections from one of the finest bands in the city, consisting of twenty-six pieces. An energetic committee is in charge of arrangements. Tickets may be obtained from the secretary, at 625 Courtney Street, or reservations made by phoning 5986. All ranks are notified that artillery preparations along the whole front will commence at 6:45 p.m., and mess hour will be 7 p.m.

Mr. Woodward's Policy

VANCOUVER, Jan. 14.—Edmonton is reaping the benefit from Peace River business while Vancouver is out of it for lack of railway connection. Vancouver should unite with Edmonton and Prince Rupert to link that northern empire with the coast by completion of the P.G.E., and by acquiring control of the Edmonton, Dunvegan & British Columbia Railway. Those were the declarations of Charles Woodward, M.P.P., in an interview today.

Doctor—Your temperature seems to have taken a drop.

Patient—Can't you arrange it so I can do the same, doctor?

NEW RURAL DEAN IS SELECTED

Successor to Rev. H. T. Archbold Is Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick, of Saint John's

REV. F. A. P. CHADWICK

Accepting the hearty nomination of the Anglican clergy of Southern Vancouver Island, at the meeting of the Rural Deanery last Tuesday, the Bishop of Columbia has appointed Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick, rector of St. John's Church, as Rural Dean to succeed Rev. H. T. Archbold, who will leave shortly for Toronto.

This position carries with it the responsibility of being presiding officer of the meetings of the clergy of Victoria and neighborhood, and also of the ruri-decanal conference of both clergy and laity, which will be held previous to the meeting of the Synod on February 15.

The unanimity of the nomination is a testimony to the high esteem in which Mr Chadwick is held.

In years of continuous service in one parish, Mr Chadwick probably takes first place in seniority. Next November he will have completed a term of fifteen years as rector of St. John's.

QUEBEC BOY SCOUTS

MONTREAL, Jan. 14.—A better understanding could be developed between English and French in this province by expansion of the Boy Scout movement to include larger members of both races, declared His Excellency Viscount Willingdon, Governor-General of Canada and Chief Scout of the Dominion, in an address last night before officers, patrol leaders and officials of the local association.

"I hope very much to see in the near future," he said. "English and French boys co-operating and working together, under the Boy Scout movement to help themselves to get to know each other better and to know each other's language better so that when they grow up they will be able to work together with complete harmony for the benefit of their country."

Fisherman Shoots Self

PRINCE RUPERT, Jan. 14.—Benedict S. Jones, fisherman of Osland, Icelandic village, near here, shot and killed himself in his home. He had been in failing health for some time. At an inquiry held today before Coroner Tannock, it was announced death was due to a self-inflicted wound.

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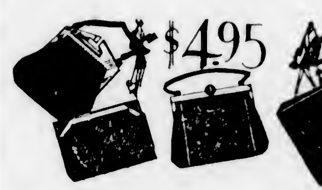

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Sunday, January 15, 1928

CONTROVERSY ON EDUCATION

Education, as engineered by the State, like any public utility, should, from the utilitarian standpoint, be regarded as an economic venture. We believe Governments try to regard it in this way, but there are political handicaps under which they labor that appear insuperable. There is the handicap of conflicting public opinion on methods of education. There is the handicap of changing ideas among educationists themselves. There is the tendency to run to projects of waste in expenditures, and a score of other sidelights on the problem which render it complex and difficult of solution in an economic way. We have boards of authority deciding on outlays for educational purposes whose personnels are, as often as not, far from being educationists or administrators, and yet it is a judicious combination of the two that should guide the policies of State education.

The problem has so many angles that it is difficult to visualise what it really is as a whole among the jumble of conflicting opinions. Broadly speaking there are two schools of thought on State education among the taxpayers, those who foot the bill for this public utility. There is that which wants education to broaden down from precedent to precedent, irrespective of the cost, and irrespective often enough of the methods employed, so long as it may be called education. The other class regards with anxiety the growing cost of this public utility and believes there is a wastage somewhere, or in many places, since the results in the social and economic life of the people do not seem to justify all the claims that are made for education.

The teaching profession is not to blame for whatever defects there may be in State educational systems. The fault lies mainly higher up, and that is to say with those who dictate educational policies and who are so often driven to experimental methods by the clamor of some section of public opinion. Some, at least, of the criticism of State education—and it is becoming emphasised—would be obviated if there were definite boundaries set to the measure of help which the State will extend. In any other public utility the law is specific. In education it is elastic, and that very elasticity is the cause of non-economic outlays of public funds.

In a recent issue of The English Review Mr. Preston Weir deals with the "Great Untaught" in modern systems of State education. He says, perhaps somewhat dogmatically, that there are three grades of children in schools; (1) The clever, who will always be educated; (2) The hopeless, who will never be educated; (3) The great mass of the medium, the possibility of whose education will depend on whether or not they can be got to work at school. If that diagnosis is correct it gives an inkling of a foundational aspect of State education, and yet it is an aspect which is not recognized in the interest of the taxpayers, because, "those who will never be educated" remain at the schools at the public expense and constitute so much deadwood in the State's tree of knowledge.

As a solution to the foregoing aspect of the educational problem, Mr. Preston Weir says there should be an absolute standard by which the progress of children could be estimated. There should be a minimum below which no work of a class or a school should be allowed to fall. Such a standard, Mr. Weir believes, would give the child a self confidence, the lack of which does more than anything else to unstring minds and weaken wills. In other words, there is a new policy wanted in education which will remove the deadwood from the system. The general attainment of an essential minimum should be aimed at, for this would prove a great incentive to further progress. There is no such minimum standard set now, and that is because of the all-embracing character of State education which includes the fit and the unfit—those who will always be educated and those who never will be. Because of the latter, educational costs keep mounting up out of proportion to the results achieved by the system and there are constant clamors for new expenditures, expenditures designed not only for the benefit of the fit, but also for those who never can benefit.

AMATEUR HOCKEY

Victoria's ice hockey team has been attracting a good deal of attention because of its successes in the last two matches, and it should occupy even a higher place in the public estimation than it does. Amateur ice hockey is popular here, but, considering the enthusiasm which prevailed for the professional sport when this city had a team in the Pacific Coast League, it is not nearly popular enough, possibly because many followers of the game have not yet come to realize the brand of play of which the amateurs in Victoria are capable. The amateur game is an expensive sport and its continuance depends on popular support. The locals have been encouraged by the attendance at their games, but they would be encouraged to a proportionately greater extent if that attendance were doubled, or even increased fifty per cent.

Every effort is being made to popularize the game among the youth of the city. At each of the matches the children of one of the schools, and sometimes of more than one, are the guests of the amateur hockeyists at the Arena. The idea of this is to encourage players to develop from among the rising generation. It is an excellent idea and the enthusiasm of the youngsters is a fitting reward to the spirit that prevails among the amateurs here. The latter are encouraging the playing of the game in a clean, sporting fashion and Victoria has assembled a team which gives every promise of proving as good as any in the province, and possibly good enough to fight its way through to the amateur championship of the Dominion. The Allan Cup should be a goal of the future, if not of the present year, but it largely depends on the encouragement which will be forthcoming from Victorians themselves. They are at present giving good patronage to the weekly games at the Arena and are being rewarded by keenly contested matches in which the play has reached a very high standard. The outlook for amateur ice hockey never was better in this vicinity. Its future can be absolutely assured by public support and co-operation.

PROOFREADING THE BIBLE

There is a brief essay in the January Atlantic by an anonymous writer who disapproves of the method, or lack of method, of the translators or the proofreaders responsible for the use of the indefinite article in the Authorized Version of the Bible. Why, he asks, should Matthew v, 14 be made to read "a city that is set on an hill cannot be hid," while it appears in Joshua xxiv, 33 that when Eleazar the son of Aaron died "they buried him in a hill?" Similarly, he contrasts "an hole in the top of it" (Exodus xxviii, 32) with "a hole in the lid of it" (2 Kings xii, 9). He might have added another example of variation in Exodus xii, 30 (not a house) and 2 Cor. v, 1 (an house).

The essayist believes that the Shakespearean usage is the better of the two, as exemplified in "A horse! a horse! My Kingdom for a horse!" and lays down the rule that while "an" is invariably right before words beginning with a vowel sound, "a" should be used before words beginning with a consonated sound. He would probably disapprove of "an usurer" in Exodus xxii, 25 on the ground that the sound of "y" is put before the "u" in pronouncing the word, and yet as recently as 1826 Macaulay, in his essay on The London University, made use of the expression "an university" three times within a single paragraph. Those who sit in the seats of the mighty tell us that while a definite article is found in some of the ancient languages none of them produced an indefinite article; although there are certain indications, known to scholars, of something like an indefinite article in the Greek of the New Testament, which was written not in the classical Greek, nor in the literary Greek of its own day, but in the Greek of the streets and of everyday life.

The Atlantic writer, who seems to speak with authority, points out that the remarkable discoveries of Greek papyri since 1897 have greatly enlarged the knowledge of the language of the common people. Since "classical and literary Greek were the only references the early translators had in trying to work out meanings," it is likely that much more light is now available to translators and commentators. It may not be amiss to add that they are already applying their erudition to matters of more transcendent importance than the indefinite article. In Professor Goodspeed's new translation of the New Testament, the nineteenth verse of the third chapter of the First Epistle General of Peter is made to read: "In it Enoch went and preached even to those spirits that were in prison," the meaning of the first two words being "in a like spirit with Christ"; a bold but plausible solution of an old difficulty.

WOMEN'S LUNCHEON CLUBS

An interesting and significant feature of post-war Britain has been the way in which women's luncheon clubs have sprung up all over the country; in London, Glasgow, Hull, York, Leeds, Chesterfield and many other cities they are flourishing. In London the two best known are the Women's Provisional Club and the Soroptimist Club, both of them clubs for professional and business women run on Rotary lines; that is to say, bodies in which the membership is entirely confined to professional and business women, and into which only one woman from each profession or business is admitted. These two clubs (the Provisional Club, under the presidency of Professor Cullis, and the Soroptimist Club, under the presidency of Mrs. Fox Pitt) meet regularly for luncheon, followed by a short speech on some matter of topical interest, sometimes from a member, sometimes from an expert who is not a member.

The clubs throughout the country are for the most part run on similar lines, except that only in certain instances is the membership confined to professional and business women. In Glasgow a Soroptimist Club, similar in constitution to the London Soroptimist Club, has recently been formed, and Lady Barrett, M.D., M.S. (a member of the London Soroptimist Club) was the guest of honor at a luncheon recently held by the new club, when she gave an interesting address on the aims and ideals of Soroptimism.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B. C., at 8 p.m., January 14, 1928.

TEMPERATURES

	Snow	Rain	Min.	Max.
Victoria	--	--	34	41
Vancouver	--	--	30	42
Kamloops	--	--	28	32
Estevan Point	--	--	32	46
Prince Rupert	--	--	26	32
Dawson	--	--	22b	8b
Seattle	--	--	36	42
Portland	--	Trace	34	44
San Francisco	--	Trace	46	50
Spokane	--	--	24	32
Vernon	.5	--	26	32
Grand Forks	--	--	16	30
Nelson	.2	--	22	35
Kaslo	--	--	25	38
Cranbrook	5.00	--	27	45
Calgary	.4	--	10b	18
Edmonton	Trace	--	4	14
Swift Current	--	--	2b	6
Prince Albert	--	--	36b	10b
Qu'Appelle	--	--	20b	10b
Winnipeg	--	--	10b	16b

FORCASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds; continued fine and cold at night.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds; continued fine and cold at night.

SATURDAY

Maximum	41
Minimum	33
Average	37
Minimum on the grass	23

Bright Sunshine, 9 hours, 24 minutes.

General state of the weather, clear.

5 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.19; wind, N., 8 miles; clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.16; calm; clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.12; calm; clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.14; calm; cloudy.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.16; wind, N.W., 12 miles; clear.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.16; wind, E., 4 miles; clear.

Portland—Barometer, 30.14; wind, N.W., 4 miles; fair.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.14; wind, N., 4 miles; clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.94; wind, N.E., 4 miles; fair.

RUTH

She stood breast-high amid the corn,
Clasped by the golden light of morn,
Like the sweetheart of the sun,
Who many a glowing kiss had won.

On her cheek an Autumn flush
Deeply ripened; such a blush
In the midst of brown was born,
Like red poppies grown with corn

Round her eyes her tresses fell—
Which were blackest none could tell—
But long lashes veiled a light
That had else been all too bright.

And her hat, with shady brim,
Made her tresay forehead dim;
Thus she stood among the stooks,
Praising God with sweetest looks.

Sure, I said, Heav'n did not mean,
Where I reap thou shouldst but glean;
Lay thy sheaf adown and come,
Share my harvest and my home.

—Tom Hood.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

We have had a conversation, an interesting and enlightening conversation, with Ald. Marchant, Acting Mayor of Victoria. Ald. Marchant is an interesting conversationalist, provided you can prevent conversation from developing into a speech that possibly may have been prepared for delivery at a public meeting. The Alderman says we misrepresented him in our comment upon the manner in which the City Council had dealt with the application of the Gorge Vale Golf Club for a special water rate. He says that in abruptly terminating the discussion on the application of the club he was simply carrying out the routine rules of the Council. The question had been settled, and that "was an end on't."

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As we desire above all things to be fair in our comment upon things in general and Aldermen in particular, if we have misrepresented the position of Ald. Marchant we must withdraw the misrepresentation and apologize. But if we are right in assuming that the Acting Mayor is not hostile to the request of the golf club for a special water rate and believes in his heart and mind that the City Council acted somewhat hastily in deciding that a concession that is good for one industry should not be withheld from another industry of at least equal potential importance, could not the presiding officer have suggested that the matter was one for further consideration instead of arbitrarily declaring that the discussion was closed and the decision final and unalterable?

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We trust we are right in assuming that Ald. Marchant is not personally opposed to the request of the club. For if our assumption is correct hope is not dead and reason may prevail, for all the golf clubs already established are among the chief assets of the city from both a materialistic and artistic point of view. Of course there may be a certain prejudice against the clubs because the members play golf on Sundays. But, as far as we know and according to our experience, no person is excluded from the grounds of the club because he is not a member of them, and a walk over any of the courses on a pleasant Summer day, or on almost any day throughout the year, is quite as enjoyable and as beneficial as playing golf over them. Probably if we were as fully enlightened as we all will be some day, we might not be very far wrong in assuming that the original Creator who prepared the way for the construction of the wonderfully beautiful courses at Oak Bay, at the Uplands and at Colwood, could not see a great deal of difference between driving a ball over the links just for the fun of the thing or strolling over them for the pleasure of the thing.

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But we must be careful about the manner of developing this theme. We must not provoke Ald. Marchant into a theological controversy, for his equipment for a discussion of that kind is vastly superior to anything we possess. We accept the aldermanic statement that it is not necessary to run any kind of a roller over him for the purpose of squeezing out prejudices or for broadening out purposes.

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We are sure our purpose would be accomplished if the alderman were to pay a personal visit to all the golf courses in turn and cast his esthetic eye over the scenic beauties of the views both of land and sea. We are equally sure he would be astonished at what Nature and art have done to add to the charm of the environs of Victoria.

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Has he ever sat on the rocks on the course at Oak Bay when the whin was in bloom and watched the ships go by? Has he ever sat on the benches at the tees in the Uplands and watched the larks soar into the heavens, singing songs of thanksgiving as they ascended almost beyond the limits of human vision? Does he remember the time when the Colwood course was a wilderness, not an unattractive wilderness in the Winter when the grass was green, but as arid as the desert of Sahara in the Summer when it was utterly destitute of verdure? If he remembers that condition, has he ever compared it with the scene of enchantment it presents at the present time viewed from almost any point of vantage, with fountains making rainbows on all the fairways between the majestic oak trees and grand mountains crowned with snow forming an impressive background?

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The golf courses of Victoria are not in the strict sense of the term private property. They are valuable public assets. They are the chief attractions of the town. They carry big pay rolls and they bring people here who carry fat purses. If local people desire to invest their means in the construction of another golf course of the first class, they should be encouraged by the Council. They should not be discriminated against upon the assumption that golf is a frivolous game or pastime and not a legitimate industry. If the Acting Mayor does not need to be broadened out, some of the members of his Council would be mentally improved by an operation of some kind—provided a kindly Mayoral talk should prove ineffective.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

THE EDUCATIONAL PROBLEM

Sir,—Most fair-minded people will endorse all Mr. Streatfield says in his letter this morning on the education question; it seems as if our educational pedagogues are determined to run this craze to the limit, regardless of the School Act or the ability of the taxpayer to find the money.

It is probably not generally known that some years ago the people, through their legislators, approved a bill compelling school trustees to provide free education for all children from "six to sixteen," neither more nor less. This in simple English would appear to mean, from the end of the sixth year (or their sixth birthday) to the beginning of their sixteenth year (or their fifteenth birthday), or about a year longer than has been the custom in England. However, I do not think anyone in these days would complain at that. I wonder how many children over fifteen are filling up our schools? I venture to suggest if these were omitted a substantial reduction could be made in numbers of teachers and school buildings.

I am well aware that discretion was very properly given the trustees in deserving cases to stretch the school age, and I believe the Education Department also intimated that they might read some sort of an extension into the wording of the act. The fact remains, however, that the act as passed by the people limited the age, and it would be interesting to know how many children are receiving free education illegally beyond even their sixteenth birthday. By all means extend the time to a very limited number of really worthy cases, say one per cent each midsummer to each school. This is apparently the only way the growing educational costs will ever be kept in check.

And what about results? Are any of these young people better fitted for their start in life than their fathers or mothers were at half the expense, or do they not have to start later and learn something really useful at a commercial school in the city?

W. RIDGWAY-WILSON.

418 Pemberton Block, Victoria, B.C., January 13, 1928.

BAD ODOR AT CAUSEWAY

The letter appearing in your columns of the 12th inst under the heading, "Beautiful Victoria," brings up a rather interesting point, as to what is the cause of this odor. May I suggest that it is caused by natural gases. About two days ago I noticed the same peculiar smell on the west side of the Johnson Street bridge. I was out at William Head some six weeks back and remarked to my friend, "there is that beautiful smell we get at the Causeway." He replied —"Yes, it's from the seaweed thrown up on the beaches." Some years ago in Windsor, Ontario, I noticed a similar odor in the houses, and referring to it to my landlord, was told it was from the natural gas which is used there to light and heat the homes. He further said, "but we get used to it."

Perhaps our city fathers may think that in the course of time we may acquire the taste of this odor at the Causeway—excuse me, I should say, acquire the smell, although at times it is quite thick enough to taste. Perhaps someone, qualified, will give us the real cause of this nuisance.

G. COOPER.

911 Caledonia Street, Victoria, B.C., January 13, 1928.

MODERN HUMOR

Sir,—There must be many who will agree with the opinions expressed in the letter of the principal of the Victoria School of Expression, Marion Ord, in your issue of the 12th inst. The humorous pictures complained of appear to originate in the United States. I look at them every day, and assume they are an index of the public taste, not only there, but here, too, and that such taste is satisfied with drawing so slovenly and so bad that a child would be scolded for it; indeed the figures representing human beings may be called conventional. Is it that the artists are not paid sufficiently by their employers as to encourage them to take much interest in the work? That they can produce better work is proved by the drawing of "Tillie the Toiler," who is quite a dainty modern maid, not yet come into her intellectual kingdom, if physiognomy is any guide in such a matter.

The men, young and old, are monstrosities; such never existed on our planet. It is said that Punch's artists always improve on their early efforts in that paper, which tends to prove their enjoyment of the work of their pencils. Why should not the United States artists do as good work if encouraged by the public?

The objection to these pictures is almost wholly on their possible effect on children. Why should they be given as examples such bad drawing, bad grammar, bad manners? Where is the "uplift" of "our cousins?"

However, we must not blame The Colonist for the taste of the public. These pictures cost us nothing in money. Do they cause any indirect loss by their impression on children?

H. A. FRANCIS.

Brookside Farm, Burnside Road, Victoria, B.C., January 13, 1928.

"OUR HOLD ON THE NORTH PACIFIC"

Sir,—I write, through your columns, to ask co-operation in making a lecture (illustrated by lantern slides) on the Coast of British Columbia for delivery to British schools and lecture societies during the coming Autumn.

My lantern lecture, "The White Man's Part of the Empire" (eighty-nine slides, one hour and twenty minutes), was made in 1921. It aims at giving a clear perspective of the geography of the Dominions.

I have given this lecture to the Senior Officers' School, the Royal Military Academy, the R.A.F. Cadet College, twenty-eight of the great English public schools (Malvern, Wellington, Downside, Kingswood, Cranleigh, etc.), and to more than 150 other English schools.

I am going back to England in April to make my lecture bookings for the Autumn.

My new lecture will describe the coast of British Columbia and more fully express the views given in the article in The Colonist of today's date. I want my British Columbia lecture to be as good as my Empire lecture.

I hope that those who are interested and friendly will write to me at the address below.

JOHN BENSLEY THORNHILL.

Y.M.C.A., Victoria, B.C., January 14, 1928.

The Rhyming Optimist

By Aline Michaelis

WEATHER REPORT

She smiles, and all the day grows
bright,
Which, until now, seemed drab
enough;
The world shows rosy with delight,
Each hour is spun of shining
stuff.

She frowns; what dire catastrophe
Afflicts the universe straightway!
Wild tempest reigns on land sea
And clouded is the orb of day.

The world at large may never
know
How storm or calm depend on
her,
But lovers all claim it so
When love is one's barometer.

COURSE WILL BE HELD FOR CHURCH SCHOOL TEACHERS

An executive meeting of the Victoria and District Religious Education Council was held last week in the Y.W.C.A. A good number of the Sunday schools of the city were represented.

After some discussion on the importance of the work, it was decided to plan for a teacher-training institute, to be conducted from February 27 to March 2, inclusive. Suggested courses of study were as follows:

"Training in Worship and the Devotional Life;" leader, Rev. J. G. Bompas, of First United Church.

"The Message and Programme of the Christian Religion;" leader, Rev. J. P. Westman, of Centennial United Church.

"The Principles of Teaching;" leader, Miss Fountain, of Vancouver; and a specialization course on "Young People's Work," conducted by Rev. E. R. McLean, of Vancouver. Information regarding time and place of meeting will be announced later.

It was also decided to hold a general rally of all church school workers of the city on Tuesday, January 31, at 8 o'clock, in Victoria West United Church.

FRIENDLY FORUM HOLDS GATHERING

The Fernwood Friendly Forum, a newly-formed organization of men, held a successful and well-attended supper gathering in the Emmanuel Baptist Sunday School Hall. Supper was served at 6:30, the programme including club singing of popular songs, led by Mr. Dan Smith; songs by Mr. F. Wright, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Wright, and short impromptu speeches by several of the members.

Mr. J. A. Armstrong has been unanimously elected president of the organization. The honorary presidents are Rev. Henry Knox and Alderman William Marchant; vice-president, Mr. Ross Main; treasurer, Mr. T. Rhodes; secretary, Mr. A. S. Woollard.

The Fernwood Friendly Forum meets for supper at 6:30 on the second Monday in each month.

HIS BOOK

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killed;
Now is his better self employed
Rewriting—and with loving filled.
So, with the new work, phoenix-like,
Rise from the wasted ash of
years;
Serve better purpose, hate out-
strike—
And smiles create, where once
were tears.

—Kilbee Gordon.

January 1, 1928.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist, January 15, 1878)

Masonic—Installation of officers of Vancouver and Quadra Lodge No. 2, A.F. & A.M., took place last evening under the auspices of the M.W. Grand Lodge of B.C. R. B. McMicking, R. Beaven, G. J. Clarke, J. F. Becker, C. M. Chamber, A. R. Milne, D. H. Ross, J. G. Vinter, J. F. Mann, T. Cunliff and F. Campbell.

Arrived—The steamer Otter arrived at five p.m. yesterday with five tons of oats and the following passengers: Mrs. and Miss Woods, Miss Murchison, Misses Ward and Webster, Messrs. N. Bole, C. B. Sword, Wardle, Nightingale, Oliver, Cassna, J. M. Johnson, P. A. Allen, J. McLean, J. Manson, J. Crosson, W. J. Crawford, J. Smith, B. Adams, T. Geiger, T. Burnes, Heisterman, J. Sullivan, H. McKenzie, W. Devereaux, J. Renfrew, M. Dunn, S. Galloway.

The New Council—The newly-elected Mayor, R. Finlayson, and Councillors will be sworn in at James Bay at twelve noon tomorrow.

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NEW THEATRE ON HASTINGS STREET

VANCOUVER, Jan. 14.—Vancouver is to have a large new Hastings Street theatre costing approximately $300,000 without furnishings and having a seating capacity of 2,500. A fifteen-year lease by a United States vaudeville circuit has been arranged. Construction is to start almost immediately.

Hippodrome Vaudeville Theatre Limited is the name of a British Columbia incorporated company organized to promote the enterprise.

Lakes Named

OTTAWA, Jan. 14.—The Department of the Interior has named a number of newly-discovered lakes in Northern Ontario after the intrepid Canadian, British and American men and women who lost their lives in attempting transoceanic flights.

GYROS TO NAME 1928 OFFICERS

GYROS WILL HOLD ANNUAL MEETING TOMORROW NIGHT IN C. OF C. CAFE

Installation Banquet Saturday at Empress—Kiwanians to Entertain City Council and Reeves

CLUB CALENDAR

MONDAY—Ye Loyal Knights of Ye Round Table, Empress Hotel private dining-room, supper, 6 p.m.
MONDAY—Gyro Club, Chamber of Commerce Cafe, supper, 6:15 p.m.
TUESDAY—Kiwanis Club, Chamber of Commerce auditorium, luncheon, 12:10 p.m.
TUESDAY—Y's Men's Club, Y.M.C.A., supper, [illegible] p.m.
THURSDAY—Rotary Club, Empress Hotel ballroom, luncheon, 12:10 p.m.
THURSDAY—Kinsmen Club, Empress Hotel private dining-room, supper, 6:15 p.m.
FRIDAY—One Hundred Per Cent Club, Dominion Hotel, luncheon, 12:45 p.m.
SATURDAY—Gyro Club, installation banquet and dance, Empress Hotel ballroom, 7 p.m.
SATURDAY—Kumtuks Club, seventh birthday party of club, at residence of president, Miss Mabel Cameron, 510 Trutch Street, at 8 p.m.

The Victoria Gyro Club will hold its annual meeting tomorrow night at a supper session in the Chamber of Commerce Cafe, commencing at 6:15 o'clock. Reports for the past year will be considered, the 1928 officers elected, and plans for the ensuing twelve months' programme formulated.

The installation banquet of the Gyro organization will be held in the Empress Hotel ballroom next Saturday night, beginning at 7 p.m. On that occasion the 1928 officials of the club will be installed in their respective posts. Following the installation rites, dancing will be the order of the evening. It is expected that representatives from Gyro Clubs in Washington, Oregon and British Columbia will be in attendance at the function.

BANQUET AT NANAIMO

The installation banquet of the Nanaimo Gyro Club will be held in the Up-Island centre next Wednesday night, and it is likely that a contingent of local Gyros will attend.

Members of the 1928 City Council, and the Reeves of Oak Bay, Saanich and Esquimalt, will be guests of the Kiwanis Club at its weekly luncheon on Tuesday at 12:10 p.m., in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium. The speaker will be Acting-Mayor William Marchant, of Victoria, who will discuss the theme, "Inter-Municipal Relationship." Mr. J. J. Matheson will be the soloist.

Detective T. Harvey Bamford will be the speaker at the Rotary Club luncheon in the Empress Hotel ballroom on Thursday next, at 12:10 p.m. Mr. Bamford will discuss the system of "Finger Print Identification." An acquaintance stunt will be provided under the direction of Mr. James Macfarlane.

NEW YEAR MESSAGE

Rev. William Guy, pastor of Oak Bay United Church, will deliver a New Year message to members of the Victoria Table of Ye Loyal Knights of Ye Round Table, at the weekly supper meeting tomorrow night at 6 o'clock, in the Empress Hotel private dining-room.

Celebration of the seventh anniversary of the Kumtuks Club will be held at a birthday party next Saturday night at the residence of the president, Miss Mabel Cameron, 510 Trutch Street.

The annual meeting of the Kumtuks Club will be held on Monday night, January 23, in the Y.M.C.A. building. Members are requested to return the nomination papers for officers to Miss Marlatt, 749 Collinson Street, by next Tuesday, January 17.

Obituary

GAIGER—Relatives and many friends gathered in the Sands Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon for the services held in connection with the funeral of the late George P. Gaiger. Large delegations from the Musicians' Union, the Buffalo Lodge, the B.C. Electric Employees, the returned soldiers' organizations, attended. Mr. G. C. Bloomfield represented the Britannia Branch, B.E.S.L., and Mrs. Chambers represented the Pro Patria Branch, Canadian Legion. Rev. F. C. Chapman officiated. The hymns sung were "Rock of Ages" and "Nearer, My God, to Thee." Many beautiful flowers testified to the high esteem in which Mr. Gaiger was held by his many friends. The casket was placed on a gun carriage covered with the Union Jack, and conveyed to the Royal Oak Burial Park escorted by the 16th Canadian Scottish Band and the firing party. At the cemetery three volleys were fired over the open grave, and the trumpeter sounded the "Last Post." (Sir) Henry Temple, worthy tyler of the R.A.O.B., read the last burial rites. The pallbearers were Messrs. W. Nunn, C. Cottell, W. Kilby, A. Cameron, J. Torrence and A. Plowman, all representatives of the B. C. Electric Employees' Association.

McCREA — The funeral of Mrs. Annie Rebecca McCrea, who passed away at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Thomas P. McConnell, 403 Linden Avenue, Friday, will take place Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick will officiate and the burial will be in Royal Oak Burial Park.

RENDELL—Funeral services will be conducted tomorrow for Mrs. Jennie McLeish Rendell, who died on Friday. The cortege will leave the Sands Funeral Chapel in time to reach St. John's Church for the funeral service at eleven o'clock. Rev. N. E. Smith will officiate. The interment will take place at Royal Oak Burial Park.

DE MACEDO—There passed away Saturday morning, in Vancouver, Joachim Antonio de Macedo, aged fifty-one years, a native of Leeds, Yorkshire, England, and a resident of this city for many years. He is survived by his widow, two sons, his mother, six brothers and four sisters. The remains will arrive in this city on Monday, and will be conveyed to the Thomson Funeral Home, 1525 Quadra Street, from where the funeral will take place on Wednesday morning at 8:45 o'clock, proceeding to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where mass will be said at 9 o'clock by Rev. Father C. E. Evans. The remains will be laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery.

THOMPSON—A large number of friends attended the funeral of Muriel Hayman Thompson, seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thompson, which was held yesterday afternoon from McCall Brothers' Funeral Home. The many beautiful flowers arranged in the chapel were an expression of sympathy from a wide circle of friends of Mr. and Mrs. Thompson. Rev. N. E. Smith conducted the service. Interment was made in Royal Oak Burial Park, with the following members of the Navy Cadet Band as pallbearers: Masters F. Hornsby, S. Orrick, C. Rutledge and H. Buckley.

BOLTON—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Ann Bolton, who died in this city on Thursday, was held yesterday afternoon from the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. An unusually large number of friends were present, and many beautiful floral designs covered the casket. Rev. W. A. Guy officiated, assisted by Dr. Clem Davies. Rev. Daniel Walker and Rev. James Hood. During the service the hymns "Rock of Ages," and "Safe in the Arms of Jesus" were sung. Mr. H. H. Hollins presiding at the organ. The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. A. H. Hundlaby, E. J. Dicker, F. Griffin, T. Stott, T. F. Oliver and W. T. Andrews. Interment was made in the family plot at Royal Oak Burial Park.

HUNTER—The funeral of Mrs. Ida Hunter will take place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

McNEILL — On Friday there passed away in this city, Donald Henry McNeill, aged seventy-four years, and born in Victoria. He had resided in this province all his life, his late residence being on Cadillac Street, Saanich. The funeral will take place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. A. deB. Owen will conduct the service. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

KIEL—The body of Veronica, eldest daughter of Mr. Moses Kiel, of 623 John Street, died in Sacramento, Cal., on January 8, arrived in this city yesterday and was removed to Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, where funeral service will be held at a date to be announced later.

KENWAY—The death occurred yesterday, at the residence, 1146 Rockland Avenue, of Agnes Hamilton, beloved wife of Mr. Douglas M. Kenway. She was seventy-three years of age, was born in Liverpool, England, and had been a resident of Victoria for fifteen years. Besides her husband, two nieces are left to mourn her. The funeral will take place from Hayward's B. C. Funeral Chapel on Tuesday at 3:15 p.m., proceeding to Christ Church Cathedral, where service will be held at 3:30 o'clock. Interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

KEE—The funeral of Chou Yen Kee, whose death occurred Monday evening, will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, proceeding to the Chinese Cemetery, where interment will be made.

Billsborough Funeral

Britannia Branch of the Canadian Legion, to which Mr. Charles Edward Billsborough belonged, conducted the funeral from the Sands Funeral Chapel on Friday. The pallbearers were Messrs. C. K. Morison, E. Abbott and A. W. Shade from Toc H., Victoria District, and Messrs. E. J. Snowden, F. D. Hickman and G. E. Wilson from Britannia Branch of the Legion.

Noted Unitarian Coming

Mr. Waitstill Sharp, secretary of the department of religious education of the American Unitarian Association, is planning a visit to the Pacific Coast, and will visit Victoria Monday afternoon and evening.

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Getting Ready for Flight

FATHER James R. Cox (right), of Pittsburgh, discussing a proposed airplane trip from that city to Rome with Lieut. F. J. Ambrose (left). Father Cox is arranging to finance the trip for Miss Myrtle Brown, sister-in-law of Bellanca, the noted airplane designer.

New Cathedral May Be Scene of Celebration

Seventieth Anniversary of Anglican Diocese of British Columbia Will Be Observed Here—Letters-Patent Issued by Queen Victoria Prove Interesting

Plans for observing the seventieth anniversary of the Anglican diocese of British Columbia are being considered here, it was learned yesterday. Her Majesty Queen Victoria issued Royal Letters Patent on January 12, 1859, to establish the diocese, and at the same time appointed the first bishop with the title of Lord Bishop of British Columbia.

It is hoped that services in connection with the anniversary commemoration will be held in the new cathedral of the diocese in 1929. It is understood that if additional contributions to the building fund this year permit of continued progress in construction during 1928, there is a possibility of the nave being finished next year.

HISTORICAL DOCUMENT

The original document issued by Queen Victoria is of historic interest. It opens with the following words:

"Victoria, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith.

"To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

"Whereas the Doctrine and Discipline of the United Church of England and Ireland are professed and observed by many of Our loving Subjects resident within Our Colonies or Territories of British Columbia and Vancouver's Island respectively as each of the same is at present established;

"And whereas Our said Subjects are deprived of some of the Offices prescribed by the Liturgy and usage of the Church aforesaid by reason that there is not a Bishop residing or exercising Jurisdiction and Canonical Functions within the same;

"And whereas for remedy of the aforesaid inconveniences We have determined to erect Our said Colonies or Territories of British Columbia and Vancouver's Island into a Bishop's See or Diocese, to be styled 'The Bishopric of British Columbia';

"Now know ye that in pursuance of such Our Royal intention We by these Our Letters Patent under the Great Seal of Our United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland,

"Do erect, found, make, ordain and constitute Our said Colony or Territory of Vancouver's Island as at present established into a Bishop's See or Diocese, and do declare and ordain that the same shall be styled 'The Bishopric of British Columbia';"

BISHOP NAMED

The document then refers to the appointment of the Reverend George Hills, Doctor of Divinity, "to be ordained and consecrated Bishop of the said See of British Columbia."

Another paragraph reads:

"Moreover We will and grant by these presents that the said Bishop of British Columbia Shall be a Body Corporate and so ordain, make and constitute him to be a perpetual Corporation and to have perpetual succession and That he and his successors be for ever hereafter called or known by the name or title of the 'Lord Bishop of British Columbia'."

The following reference is made to the selection of a cathedral for the diocese:

"And We do further by these presents ordain that it shall be competent to the Bishop from time to time to select any suitable Church already erected or which may hereafter be erected within the limits of the said Bishopric or Diocese to be used as his Cathedral Church."

The document concludes with the words:

"In witness whereof We have caused Our Letters to be made Patent.

"Witness ourself at Westminster the twelfth day of January in the twenty-second year of Our Reign."

NOTEWORTHY EVENT

The possibility of the double event next year, the commemoration of the seventieth anniversary of the diocese and the opening of the nave of the new Gothic cathedral, foreshadows a noteworthy day in the Capital City, in the history of the province and of church life in the Dominion.

If there are indications in the next few months favorable to continuing the construction of the nave to its full height, preparations will doubtless be made at an early date to insure a worthy representation at the principal celebrations to be arranged.

SCHUBERT CLUB IN RECITAL TUESDAY

Well Known Ladies' Choir to Give Programme at Empress Under Kumtuks Club Auspices

The Schubert Club is giving a recital in the Empress Hotel ballroom on Tuesday next at 8:15 p.m. This choir has won many honors at recent musical festivals for its masterly work. Under the direction of Mr. Frederic King the club was awarded the Hon. Walter C. Nichol grand challenge shield for highest marks in choral class (for men's or women's choirs). At the same time they earned The Colonist Shield for first place in the ladies' division at the Victoria festival last year. Traveling to Vancouver, they were successful in bringing back the Knights of Pythias Cup. Their programme will comprise four groups of choruses, including two request numbers, "Love and Music," from Tosca, and "Land Sighting," by Grieg. Mrs. M. F. Matthews will act as the club accompanist.

In addition to the ensemble numbers there will be a series of 'cello solos by George C. Kirchner, of Seattle. After his appearance in one of the Sound cities, a critic said of him: "Mr. Kirchner proved himself an artist of thoroughly satisfying attainments. His tone throughout was pure and vibrant, and his numbers were played with finesse and poetic declamation." A local artist, Miss Edith Howell, will be heard in two group songs. Miss Howel possesses a lyric soprano voice of much promise. Her recent training has been received at the Di Castri Studio.

Patrons for the concert will be His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Miss Mackenzie, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hebden Gillespie, and Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Butchart. The Kumtuks Club members are sponsoring the affair and tickets may be obtained from members of either that organization of the Schubert Club, or from the firm of Fletcher Bros., Limited.

Following is the programme:

Choruses, "The Cloud," (Percy Fletcher); "The Storm," (Cyril Jenkins); Vocal, "Romanza," (Cavalleria Rusticana), (Mascagni); "Pace, Pace, Mio Dio," (La Forza del Destino), (Verdi); "La Farfalla," (Gelli); Choruses, "Music When Soft Voices Die," (Charles Wood); "Sands o' Dee," (Frederic Clay), solo by Miss Marie McLaughlin; "I saw a Ship A-Sailing," (R. McLeod); Violoncello, "Sonata in D," (Benedetto Marcello); "Andante," (Boellmann); Choruses, "Goin' Home," spiritual; "Go Down Moses," spiritual; "I'm a Wandering," old negro slave song; "Oh, Didn't It Rain?" spiritual; Vocal, "Under the Greenwood Tree," 1783, (Arne); "It Was the Time of Roses," (Mackenzie); "My Lover He Comes on the Skee," (Clough-Leighter); Violoncello, "Harlequin," (David Popper); "Pensee Amoureuse," (Victor Herbert); "Prayer," from Jewish Life, (Ernest Bloch); "Andalusian Serenade," (Karl Kampf); Choruses, "Love and Music," La Tosca, (Puccini); "Land Sighting," (Grieg), solo by Mrs. Gladys Slark. God Save the King.

Winnipeg Entertainer Giving Recital Here

Under the auspices of the Women's Parish Guild of Christ Church Cathedral, a dramatic recital will be given at the Memorial Hall tomorrow night by Miss Elsie McLuhan, of Winnipeg. Appearing here under the same auspices last year, Miss McLuhan made a very fine impression on her big audience, showing wonderful versatility, great mobility of voice and expression. Whether in the humorous or dramatic, in characterization or descriptive work, she shows remarkable ability, and her programme tomorrow will be distinguished by the variety and changing interest which marked her previous programme here.

Miss McLuhan's numbers will be as follows: "Wolverine," Johnston; "Should Women Propose," Anon.; scene from "School for Scandal," Sheridan; "Confessions," Browning; one-act play, "Slave With Two Paces," Davies; "The Bath Hour," Anon.; "Light From Over the Range;" one-act play, "Joint Owners in Spain;" "Legend of the Twilight," Bill Cox (with musical accompaniment).

Mrs. W. H. Wilson, soprano, musical festiva medalist, who is assisting with vocal numbers, will sing two groups, "Snowflakes," Mallinson; "One Morning Very Early," Sanderson; "The Spinet," Arundale; "Spring's Awakening," Sanderson; "The Daisy," Scott; "My Love, She's But a Lassie Yet," Scottish air.

Hunger Strike Death

MONTREAL, Jan. 14.—John E. Howe, twenty-two, thought to be a Russian who started a "hunger strike" shortly after entering Bordeaux jail as a vagrant three months ago, and who refused to give the authorities any information about himself, died today of general debility, resulting from his voluntary starving spell.

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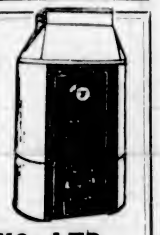

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SAANICH FRUIT MEN TO MEET

Directors Attain Record, Report States, in Shipping Nearly 80,000 Packages in 1927

FIFTY-FIVE CARS OF BERRIES SOLD

Two Victoria companies in which the Saanich Fruit Growers' Association holds shares, the Growers' Wine Company and the Holsum Packing Company, play an important part in the absorption of soft fruits on the local market, it is pointed out in the annual report of the association issued by directors to shareholders, to be presented at the annual meeting on Thursday week.

The report says that the logan crop did not come up to the 1926 tonnage, due principally to Winter injury to vines. The Growers' Wine Company use a large proportion of the logan crop.

The Holsum Packing Company commenced operations. The association expects increasing orders for the coming season.

Summarizing a list of the principal shipments of fruit for the season of 1927, the report lists: 42,640 crates of strawberries for prairie and local markets; twenty tons canning strawberries; 105 tons jam strawberries; sixty-seven tons canning logans; 121 tons wine logans; thirteen tons raspberries; twenty-two tons Olivets and Morellos.

The price of strawberries was lower than last year, largely owing to an increased production. Fifty-five cars of strawberries were shipped from the Gordon Head and Saanich associations, of which ten cars were sold to the canners.

The past season has been a record one for the association, nearly 80,000 packages being handled against 56,000 last year. The advisability of an addition to the Keating warehouse will have to be taken up in the near future.

MADE-TO-MEASURE STORE IS TO OPEN

Scottish Tweeds Will be Featured by New Clothing Store, Conducted by Mr. Silverman

Mr. M. Silverman, who has had many years' experience in the clothing business in Eastern Canada, and at one time had charge of Coghill's, of Stratford, Ontario, one of the largest manufacturers of ready-to-wear clothing firms in Canada, is opening an up-to-date clothing store at the corner of Fort and Douglas Streets, over Terry's Drug Store.

The new clothing house will be open for business tomorrow, with a full line of English, Scotch and Canadian suitings. Mr. Silverman is also carrying a large line of the famous Foxhound tweeds. This tweed was specially imported from Scotland and is considered the finest of its kind on the market today. The goods will be completely made up on the premises.

"Victoria is certainly the queen city of Canada," stated Mr. Silverman yesterday, in discussing the opening of a store here. "When I arrived here some time ago I was in poor health, but Victoria's exceptionally fine climate, with ideal living conditions, pulled me around, and now I am ready for business once again. Prospects for 1928 look exceptionally promising and I expect to do a big year's business. Though I am not very well acquainted in the clothing trade here, I am very optimistic and hope to build up a large made-to-measure clothing connection."

It is the intention of Mr. Silverman to feature a made-to-measure suit at $25. This suit will be made entirely locally, from special cloths imported from both Eastern Canada and the Old Country.

Grayson Plane Said to Have Landed in Valley

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Organization of a new search for the airplane Dawn, and its party of four, was ordered today by M. A. Mosley, friend of Mrs. Frances Grayson, who with her pilot, navigator and motor expert was lost on the first leg of a projected transatlantic flight last December 23. Mr. Mosley wired $100 to Leonard Reid, his representative in St. John's, following receipt of a cablegram from Reid which declared that all evidence and reports pointed to landing by the plane in an inaccessible valley near Heart's Delight, Newfoundland.

VANCOUVER SPICES FOUND ADULTERATED

MILTON, Ont., Jan. 14.—Charges against a Georgetown grocery store were heard today by Police Magistrate Moore for having for sale white pepper and cloves which had been adulterated. The evidence showed that the spices were bought from wholesalers in good faith and the charge was dismissed.

Charges were then laid against a spice manufacturer in Vancouver and a wholesale company of Toronto. Pleas of guilty were entered by representatives of the concerns, who were present, and they were each fined $25 and costs.

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Weekly Totals Given—In view of the importance of the decision to be made in the next few months concerning the continuation of construction of the new Christ Church Cathedral, and its consequences in the work of the contractors and the employment of about fifty men engaged on the building, the new Cathedral committee is publishing the total amount of subscriptions received towards this New Year's appeal for $100,000 to complete the nave. Weekly totals will appear ordinarily in each Sunday's issue of The Colonist.

Mystery Mountain—What is now claimed to be the highest mountain probably in the Province of British Columbia has been definitely located, and the height determined at 13,260 feet. This is the "Mystery Mountain" on the Mainland in the vicinity of the head of Knight Inlet. A survey party under the charge of Mr. J. T. Underhill, B.C.L.Sc., which has been engaged in the work of arriving at the exact location and the height of this mountain, has reported to the Department of Lands under Hon. T. D. Pattullo. A full description appeared recently of this mountain in The Colonist.

To Attend Convention—Hon. E. D. Barrow, Minister of Agriculture, and Dr. David Warnock, Deputy Minister of the Department, will both attend the annual convention of the British Columbia Fruitgrowers' Association to be held at Kelowna next Tuesday. On the way to the Interior, Mr. Barrow will stop in Vancouver over today for the purpose of representing the Government at the memorial service, which is being held in the Terminal City this evening, to commemorate the work of Lieut.-General Sir Edwin Alderson, the original commander of the Canadian Corps in France.

Receives Rare Manuscripts—Major F. V. Longstaff announced at the joint meeting of the British Columbia Historical Society and the Authors' Association on Friday evening that he had recently received from England a photograph of H.M.S. Cormorant, the first Royal Navy steamship to come to this coast, and from which Cormorant Street received its name. This vessel, he noted, was just over 1,000 tons, which was just ten times the capacity of the old Beaver. This photograph, Major Longstaff stated, he would probably present to the Archives so that it could be seen by people who were interested. Announcement was also made by Mr. John Hosie during the meeting of the receipt by the Archives recently of two very rare manuscripts, one the Birnie log of Captain Cook's voyage, the original of which is in Australia; the other the transcript of the log of Gilbert (another of Cook's men), the original of which only reached the British Museum four or five years ago.

FORMER VICTORIAN DIES IN HOSPITAL IN HAWAIIAN ISLANDS

The death has taken place, at the Waialua Hospital, of Mr. Laughlin J. Jamieson, aged sixty-five years, a native of Victoria and for many years an engineer of the Waialua plantations at Waialua, Hawaiian Islands. He had been in hospital for two weeks prior to his death, suffering from pneumonia.

The funeral took place from the Roman Catholic church there on December 20.

A son, Lockie, and a sister, Mrs. Herbert Stanton, reside in San Francisco and Berkeley respectively.

Dean Brock to Speak

On Thursday evening next, at Victoria College, Dean Brock will give the fourth of his lectures on "Problems of the Pacific." "The United States and the Pacific," being the subject. This lecture is expected to be fully as interesting as previous ones in the series, and the University Extension Association hope many friends will accept the invitation to be present.

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The Regular Recital of the Ladies' Musical Club will not be held on Wednesday, but on the last Saturday afternoon of the month in the Amphion Hall. It will be a students' recital. Further particulars later.

Smith's Picture Shop on Fort St. is moving to 619 View St. at end of month. Please call for pictures that have been framed for six months or more before Jan 28, or same must be disposed of.

What Books Have You and what periodicals for Victoria College Library? Secretary Women's Canadian Club, 2348 or leave at Y.

Women's Canadian Club bridge and mah jong party, Amphion Hall, Tuesday, January 17, at 2.45 p.m. Players, $1; tea guests, 50c. Reservations to 2348.

Dramatic Recital, Memorial Hall, Monday, Jan. 16, by Elsie McLuhan. Mrs. Wilson, vocalist. Tickets at Litchfield's and T. N. Hibben's, 50c and 25c.

British Empire Lecture by Fred T. Foort, Sunday, 15th, 3 p.m., Chamber of Commerce, "The Mosaic Law and the Commandments."

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Surgeon Wins Knighthood

HERE, centre, is shown Sir George Badgerow, distinguished Canadian surgeon, who has been knighted. He has been in England for the past twenty-eight years. On the left is Mrs. Fred A. Mulholland, Toronto, Ont., a sister, and, right, Mr. A. H. Badgerow, Toronto, his father, whom he visits yearly.

Men's Canadian Club Opens Drive For New Members

A membership of 700 is the mark which the executive of the Men's Canadian Club of Victoria is striving for in 1928, and as this is the beginning of the New Year it is hoped that as many as wish to be identified with the organization will apply for membership.

The Canadian Club only requires a man to be a British subject, and draws no line of social, religious or political character.

During the past year the Men's Canadian Club of Victoria has come into much more prominence than probably in any previous year in its history. Its membership has been increased during the year by over two hundred, bringing the total membership to five hundred and eighty-seven. This has come about for several reasons, chiefly on account of the many prominent speakers the club has had to address them at luncheons and evening dinners, and to the active part the club has taken in stimulating interest in the students of the city schools in the study of Canadian history.

The annual dues are only $2, and applications may be secured at Cochrane's Drug Store, the Bank of Toronto, Pemberton & Son, or from the secretary, Mr. F. J. Sehl, P.O. Box 1091.

Juvenile A.O.F. Hold. Their Annual Banquet

Court Liberty, Juvenile A.O.F., held its annual banquet and entertainment on Friday last with over three hundred present, and C. R. Brother Matthew, assisted by P.C.R. Sister Holden, installed the new officers as follows: P.C.R., Brother Wiffen; C.R., Sister Primrose; S.C.R., Brother Rawnsley; S.W., Sister Butts; J.W., Brother Spaven; B., Sister Rutledge; J.S., Brother Water. Court Liberty also installed six new members. It took two sittings in the large dining-room to accommodate the members.

The following programme was given: Toe dance, Fay Ockenden; doll song and dance, Ella Watson; ballet, Ellas Webster, Betty Plimley, Ena Foyer, Margaret Welch, Ester Aaronson and Audrey Hickling; Highland fling, Cecelia Webster; hornpipe, Sonny Aaronson; Oriental dance, Lillian Toy, Clara Rowbottom; clog dance, Eileen Chislett; clown dance, Oliver Jordan, Jeanne Osgood, Marian Drysdale, Amelia Levy, Grace Townsend, Dorothy Rolfe; Gypsy dance, Sybil Holyoak; recitation, Mr. Thomas; group toe dance, Doris Aaronson, Rosie Aaronson, Jean Fenwick, Bonita Johnson, Edith Rundall, Betty Trevett and Evelyn Eve; acrobatic dance, Irene Brockington, Dorothy Hill, Muriel Ross, Grace Hoy and Doris Sharp; powder puff dance, M. Fitzgerald; song, Margaret Welsh.

A four-act play, Dickens' "Christmas Carol," was given by pupils of the Cloverdale School, who received a hearty vote of thanks for their services. This finished a long and much-enjoyed evening.

Lindbergh Rests

COLON, Panama, Jan. 14.—Breaking his goodwill tour of Central America so he can rest and hunt over the week-end, Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh took off in an army airplane from France Field today for the Cera Boquett highlands. His objective was the town of David, 240 miles away.

Upon resumption of his tour on Thursday, he is expected to visit Caracas, Venezuela. Early today Lindbergh shared honors with Dieudonne Costes and Joseph Lebrix, French transatlantic flyers. They visited the memorials to De Lesseps, pioneer in building the Panama Canal, and to General Simon Bolivar, South American liberator, and left wreaths.

Willows Badminton Club Loses to Duncan

The Duncan Badminton Club defeated Willows, 19-2, in an interclub match played Friday night at the Willows Club.

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LONDON HEARS NEW SYMPHONY

Sir Henry Wood Conducts Modern Programme for Royal Philharmonic Orchestra

LONDON, Jan. 14.—Sir Henry Joseph Wood, famous conductor of international reputation, conducted a programme of modern works for the Royal Philharmonic Society at Queen's Hall, recently. Brahms' Haydn Variations, written in 1874, was the oldest, and a new symphony of Sibelius, written in 1925, was the most recent music in a programme which also contained Busoni's Tanz-Walzer, written in 1920, as a tribute to Johann Strauss, and Dvorak's Violoncello Concerto.

"Sibelius's Symphony, No. 7, in C major, Opus 105, although two years old, had not been heard in England before," says the Daily News. "The symphony consists of one movement in which there are three main divisions, as usual, but it proceeds not by contrast, but by a process of transformation. The peculiar tensity thus made is reinforced by Sibelius' own method of orchestration, of which there is hardly a note in the whole work, but as though they were steel bands binding together the already strong and massive writing for the strings. 'Slow music is big music,' says Professor Tovey, and the opening of this symphony sounds almost like organ music in its solidity and nobility. The themes, though in themselves quite terse, are widely flung, and give a feeling of space; the absence of color for its own sake gives a clear grey tone which, as the music becomes more animated, suggests a seascape. It is spontaneous because it is sincere; it is free from cosmopolitan fashions; in other words, it is original, and, although only a little symphony, it is big music.

"The concert was notable in other ways also. The orchestral playing was of a higher standard than we are accustomed to hear, both in Brahms and in Dvorak. Of the Haydn variations, Sir Henry Wood gave a more brilliant performance with livelier tempo than did Senor Casals a few nights previously, and the greater yield of sensuous beauty seemed to be no more than Brahm's due. In the violoncello concerto every one conspired to bring out the many beauties of the work in their perfection. Senor Casals was the soloist, and showed his unique combination of strength of line with sweetness of tone, of intellectual phrasing with the most sensitive feeling, and the orchestra were quick to respond with the best that was in them. Busoni's dances made a gay opening of the concert, and Sir Henry Wood's arrangements of Granadoc's Spanish Dances would have made a gay ending if their rare spirit had not been overwhelmed by the rather gross orchestration. But if Sir Henry Wood's arrangements of other men's music are not acceptable, his conducting is when he is as inspired and inspiring as he was during the programme."

Leap Year Proposal

LONDON, Ont., Jan. 14.—A local widow, whose name is withheld, has taken up Alderman Paul Doig's offer of a free marriage licence to the first woman to propose to a man this leap year. The lady appeared before City Clerk Baker, the issuer of licences, and asked for the free permit, saying she had asked the man to wed.

He was not present to certify to his age and the licence will not be issued until he comes in with the bride.

"Kitty Lee" Dies

BALLACHADEREEN, County Mayo, Ireland, Jan. 14.—Mrs. Catharine Golden, better known by her maiden name, Kitty Lee, died here today, aged 109.

Kitty Lee went to the United States in a sailing vessel seventy-seven years ago and lived in New York many years. She returned to Ireland and has lived here since 1871.

Maharajah and Bride

NUWARA, Eliya, Ceylon, Jan. 14.—The former Maharajah of Indore today declined to discuss his coming marriage with Miss Nancy Ann Miller, of Seattle. The former ruler of Indore, who is now at a hotel here, where Miss Miller also is staying, received the correspondent today in Miss Miller's presence. "I have made it a practice throughout life never to give newspaper interviews and I don't propose to deviate from that practice now," said the former Maharajah.

Bogey Competition Set for Friday

The ladies' monthly bogey competition of the Victoria Golf Club will be held next Friday.

City Team to Meet

A general meeting of the Victoria City football players and others interested, will be held in the Veterans of France Tuesday at 7.30 p.m.

OAKLANDS P.-T.A.

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Reid Released

QUEBEC, Jan. 14.—Harry Reid, centre and wing player of the Quebec Hockey Club, of the Canadian-American Hockey League, has been given his unconditional release. Arthur Corbeau, who was recently released, has been added to the roster.

M.C.C. Win Easily

EAST LONDON, South Africa, Jan. 14. — The touring Marylebone Cricket Club's team defeated a border team by an innings and 109 runs. The feature of the game was a century by Hammond, who scored 166, not out, for the M.C.C.

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Duncan Ladies' Aid

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid of Duncan United Church was held in the church parlors on Friday afternoon with a good attendance of members. The president, Mrs. C. M. French was in the chair. Annual reports were presented by the secretary, Mrs. N. McIvor. Twenty-three members enrolled, six business meetings held during the past nine months with an average attendance of fifteen. The windows of the church had been decorated, cutlery purchased for the use of the church organizations, flowers provided for churen decoration each Sunday, with special decorations for Mothers Day, Confederation Sunday, harvest services and Christmas. The treasurer, Mrs. G. Colborne, reported total receipts for the nine months $870.81. The organization concentrated its efforts on paying off the mortgage on the minister's residence. The sum of $250 was paid for this purpose and a further payment will be voted at the next regular meeting. Mrs. G. A. Harris, convener of the flower committee, had sent flowers to all sick members during the year. Mrs. R. A. Thorpe reported visits paid to newcomers and invitations extended to the meetings. Rev. W. F. Burns, pastor of the church, presided during the election of officers. Mr. Burns expressed his appreciation of the work done by the Ladies' Aid and the ready assistance given to the church, especially thanking Mrs. P. Flett, who had charge of refreshments at all functions held. The constitution suggested by the United Church for women's organizations, was read, and referred to the new executive for consideration. Officers elected for 1928 were: President, Mrs. C. M. French (re-elected); vice-president, Mrs. P. Flett (re-elected); recording secretary, Mrs. T. C. Robson; treasurer, Mrs. G. Colborne (re-elected). The apointment of a financial secretary will be discussed at the next meeting when standing committees will also be appointed.

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Navy League Chapter

The monthly meeting of the Navy League Chapter, I.O.D.E., took place on Thursday afternoon at headquarters, Hambly Building, with the regent, Mrs. Mortimer Appleby, presiding. A standing vote of thanks was tendered the regent for her work in connection with the children's annual fancy dress ball, this being the thirteenth occasion on which this event, so eagerly anticipated by the young folk of Victoria, was brought, both socially and financially, to a successful issue. The chapter warmly thanks those who assisted—Mr. Delves, Mr. Gordon Smith and Mr. Wilders, also Miss Kathleen Johnston and Miss Audrey Wood, for helping with the very small children, and Miss Adeline and Miss Lillian Grant, the talented young Scotch lassies who gave so much pleasure, and added a novelty to the function with the pipes and Scotch reels. Correspondence included Christmas and New Year greeting cards from the Municipal Chapter and out-of-town and overseas members. The chapter's delegates to the Local Women's Council are Mrs. Plumb, Mrs. Thaw, Mrs. Weston and Mrs. Lewis. Officers for the ensuing year were nominated. The chapter endorsed donations to Soldiers' Graves Committee, Connaught Seamen's Instiute, Secondary Education of Soldiers' Children, Mrs. Clarke Murray Memorial Fund, and Mary R. Gooderham Fund.

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Children's Christmas Tree

A most enjoyable evening was spent on Tuesday in the Eagles' Hall, when under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary, a Christmas tree and supper was given to the children of members. Supper was served to between eighty and one hundred children at 6 o'clock and at 7:30, when all the children were seated in the large hall, a loud jingling of bells announced the arrival of Santa Claus, who, after a few words to his excited audience, commenced his delightful task of presenting each child with a lovely gift from the heavily laden tree. After his work was finished little Miss Eleanor Jones, daughter of the president, presented him with a small gift of appreciation from the auxiliary. Brother LeRoy made a splendid Santa Claus, and before his departure, Bro. Jasper called for three cheers and a tiger, which was heartily responded to. During the evening the children were entertained by Yorkie, the well known ventriloquist, and at 9 o'clock were each given a bag containing fruit and candy, on leaving the hall. The success of the evening was due to the convenership of Mrs. Manson for the Christmas tree, who had three helpers in Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Holmes and Mrs. Doncaster. Praise was also due to Mrs. Ferguson, who was convener for the supper and refreshments, and her large number of workers, who all helped to make everything a real success.

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Mothers' Union

The annual meeting of the Mothers' Union was held on Tuesday in St. Mary's Hall, Oak Bay, which had been made pretty and attractive for the occasion by members of St. Mary's Parish Circle. There were upwards of one hundred present, representatives from all parish circles and two members from Shawnigan who were especially welcomed by all present. The meeting opened with the customary short service, after which the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. After the correspondence had been disposed of the president read her address, which was followed by reports from the secretary, treasurer and literature secretary. Mrs. Dickson, president of the W.A., then spoke a few words stressing the helpfulness of these two great sister societies. The officers for the new year were then appointed. The president, Mrs. E. E. Wootton, and the treasurer, Mrs. Blyth, were elected by acclamation. The other officers were appointed as follows: Vice-president, Mrs. B. Tyrwhitt Drake; literature secretary, Mrs. Clowes; secretary, Mrs. W. Llewelyn Thomas, Rev. A. E. Nunns, rector of the parish, spoke and gave the blessing. Tea was served by a committee of ladies representing the various parishes.

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South Saanich Ladies' Aid

The Ladies' Aid Society of the South Saanich United Church met in the church parlor on Thursday afternoon for the first business meeting of the year. There was an excellent attendance, the chair being occupied by Miss L. Dearing. The members decided to serve refreshments to the members of the Young People's Society who are taking part in the play, "Safety First," which is being presented in Temperance Hall by the Young People's Society on January 24. Instead of the annual congregational meeting of the different church organizations, the Ladies' Aid Societies of Sidney and South Saanich will unite in holding a banquet at Sidney sometime in February, when the annual reports of both churches and all societies connected with them will be given by the various leaders, which promises a most interesting evening. The next meeting will be held on Thursday afternoon, February 9. The meetings are held regularly on the second Thursday afternoon of every month, and new members will be made welcome.

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Lodge Primrose Meets

The installation of officers for the ensuing year took place at the regular meeting of Lodge Primrose, D. and M.O.E., Friday evening, in the S.O.E. Hall. The D.D.G.P., Mrs. Harrison, assisted by P.D.D.G.P. Mrs. S. Smith, and P. Presidents Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Manson and Mrs. Weaving, installed the following officers: P.P., Mrs. McKenzie; W.P., Mrs. Oliver; V.P., Mrs. Humber; secretary, Mrs. Wright; treasurer, Mrs. Merryfield; chaplain, Mrs. Garnett; pianist, Miss E. McKenzie; guides in their order, Mrs. Bissenden, Mrs. Skett, Mrs. Cantwell, Mrs. Rose; I.G., Miss Barnes; O.G., Mrs. Brown; drill captain, Mrs. Baron; escorts, Mrs. Headdy and Mrs. Gardener. A bouquet was presented to the installing officers, and plants were presented to Mrs. McKenzie, Mrs. Skinner, Mrs. Baron and Mrs. Gardener. A dance will be held after the next meeting, January 27, convened by Miss E. McKenzie.

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Brentwood W. A.

The St. Stephen's and St. Mary's Women's Auxiliary met at the home of the president, Mrs. Corry Wood, on Wednesday afternoon, with fifteen members present. The minutes were read by the secretary, and the financial statement presented by the retiring treasurer, Mrs. Greensted, showed the year to have have been very profitable. Mrs. Greensted and Mrs. Derringbery were appointed the buying committee. The remainder of the afternoon was devoted to sewing. Afternoon tea was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Greensted and the Misses Gale.

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Queen of Island Lodge

Queen of the Island, L.O.B.A., No. 209, held its regular meeting on Wednesday. The committees have arrangements well in hand for the entertainment of the grand lodge, which will convene in Victoria in February. On January 3 the lodge was visited by the M.W.P., Grand Mistress Sister Allan, and W.G.P. Deputy Sister Barricott, who gave splendid reports of the progress of the order throughout the province, there having been a number of new lodges organized.

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Hospital W.A.

The Womens' Auxiliary of the West Coast General Hospital held its annual meeting on Friday afternoon. A splendid report of the 1927 activities was given by the retiring secretary, Mrs. M. Fry. Officers for 1928 were elected as follows: President, Mrs. Fred Vradenburg; vice-president, Mrs. Fred Weaver; secretary, Mrs. H. Mair; treasurer, Mrs. R. J. Burde; executive committee, Mrs. J. B. Wood, Mrs. H. P. Strain and Mrs. A. West; hospital representative, Mrs. H. Bradley.

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Catholic League

The monthly meeting of the Catholic Women's League, Victoria subdivision, will be held in the library of the Bishop's Palace on Wednesday evening. On Friday the league will hold a card party, of bridge and five hundred, at the residence of Mrs. J. D. Kissinger, 1110 Fairfield Road.

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Presbyterial to Meet

Women of the United Church are asked to remember January 26 and 27, when the Victoria Presbyterial will meet at the Metropolitan Church. There will be an afternoon session, supper for delegates, and an evening meeting. The full programme will be announced later.

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Whist Drive

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Brittania Branch, Canadian Legion, will hold a partner whist drive on Wednesday, February 1, at 8:30 p.m. Good prizes will be given.

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Ladies' Guild Meeting

Under the auspices of St. Alban's Ladies' Guild a five hundred card party will be held on Wednesday next in the church hall, Belmont and Ryan Streets, at 8 p.m.

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Women's Conservative

The Victoria Women's Conservative Association will hold a regular business meeting in the rooms, Campbell Building, tomorrow at 8 o'clock.

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Bishop Cridge Chapter

The Bishop Cridge Ministering Chapter, I.O.D.E., will meet on Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Norman Payne, 911 Linden Avenue.

Will Appear for Schubert Club

MR. GEORGE C. KIRCHNER

Noted 'cellist of Seattle, who will contribute several groups to the programme to be given by the Schubert Club, composed of thirty lady singers, at the Empress Hotel on Tuesday evening next. Miss Edith Howell will also assist with vocal solos.

Island Women Are Active in all Institute Plans

WEST SAANICH

The monthly meeting of the West Saanich Women's Institute was held in the Institute hall on Tuesday afternoon with fifteen members present. The president, Miss H. Maber, occupied the chair, the minutes and correspondence being read by the secretary, Mrs. T. Haddon. A letter from New Zealand regarding the reading of Scripture in the schools was laid on the table. A letter was also received from Rev. J. H. Bastin thanking the Institute for the use of the hall for church services, also a letter of thanks was received from Dr. Wace, of the Solarium, thanking the members for a cheque for $75 and other donations during the past year. The financial statement for the year was read by the retiring treasurer, Mrs. W. O. Wallace. This showed the receipts to have been $844.59, with expenditures $819.55, leaving a balance of $24.04.

Committees for the year were appointed as follows: Home economics, Mrs. H. MacQueen; agriculture, Mrs. J. Osborne; education and better schools, public health and child welfare conveners, Mrs. A. Guy, Mrs. H. Creed, Mrs. T. Peden and Mrs. W. Watt; industries, Miss H. Maber; community betterment, Institute as a whole.

Mr. George Robinson, of Elk Lake, the well-known seed and bulb grower, will address the February meeting.

The following committees were appointed for the cabaret which will be held on February 3: Supper convener, Mrs. A. Lacoursiere; decorations, Mrs. W. Watt; reception, Miss H. Maber, Mrs. T. Haddon; ticket office and door, Messrs. R. J. Freeland, A. Guy and J. Osborne. Miss Mona Jewell, of Victoria, will have some of her pupils supply some of the turns.

A pleasing incident took place when Mrs. A. Guy, on behalf of the members, presented Mrs. T. Haddon with a gift as a token of their appreciation for her untiring work as president during the past two years. Mrs. Haddon responded with a few words of thanks.

Tea was served by the hostesses, Mrs. T. Peden and Mrs. J. Osborne.

STRAWBERRY VALE

A pleasant evening was spent on Tuesday last at the card party held under the auspices of the Strawberry Vale Women's Institute at its new hall on Wilkinson Road. There were five tables in play, the winners being as follows: Mr. Hume, gentlemen's first prize; Mr. Gillam, ten bid; Mr. Drennan, consolation. Mrs. Hooper, ladies' first prize; Mrs. Girton, ten bid; Mrs. Groutage, consolation. Refreshments were served. The next card party will be held at the hall on Tuesday, January 24, at 8 p.m.

SOUTH SAANICH

The South Saanich Women's Institute spent a busy time on Thursday when it held a wool bee in the rooms at Temperance Hall. One wool comforter was completed and another started. Luncheon and afternoon tea was served. The date of the next meeting will be decided at the meeting on Thursday, January 19.

The South Saanich Women's Institute will hold its annual meeting in the rooms at Temperance Hall on Thursday evening, January 19, when all members are requested to attend as the election of officers for 1928 will take place, and a very busy time anticipated. The meeting will commence at 8:30.

VICTORIA

The court whist party which was held by the Victoria Women's Institute on Friday evening, was a decided success. Twelve tables were in play and the following were prize winners: First lady, Mrs. Sparks; second lady, Mrs. L. Schmelz; first gentleman, Mr. H. Stewart; second gentleman, Mr. L. Schmelz. A number of the players remained for refreshments, which were served by the ladies of the institute. The monthly concert will be held on Tuesday evening at the T.B. Ward of the Jubilee Hospital. The pupils of Mr. and Mrs. Burdon Murphy, of the Columbia School of Music, will assist, and Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Corby will give a short sketch. This concert was arranged for December, but was unavoidably postponed owing to the critical illness of one of the patients. The monthly meeting of the Victoria Women's Institute will be held on Friday.

WOMAN LEADER OF THIEVES MURDERED

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—Police today continued to search the underworld for the slayers of Betty Chambers, victim two days ago of a "tape murder," in her luxuriously-furnished apartment in a fashionable North Side hotel.

The police had revised their original estimate of the crime and termed it the slaying of one who had threatened to "squeal" and reveal secrets of gangland.

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Society and Women's Affairs

Personals, Parties Visitors

Miscellaneous Shower

Miss Evelyn Florence held a miscellaneous shower at the home of her parents, 524 Cecilia Road, on Friday evening, in honor of Miss Janet Ross, whose wedding takes place this month. The table was prettily decorated with streamers of blue and yellow, and centered with a very realistic scene of a prairie homestead, depicting the bride-elect's future home. During the evening, "Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs," in bridal attire, attended by two little flower girls, Barbara and Peggy Ingledew, arrived and presented the bride-elect with her various gifts in a large hat box, carrying out the color scheme of blue and yellow. The bride-elect was also presented with a handsome tea service, expressing the good wishes of her many friends of the Lands Department, of which she has been a member for the past eight years. The evening was spent in games and singing. The invited guests were Mrs. James Florence, Mrs. T. Huzzey, Mrs. R. Patterson, Mrs. A. Allan, and the Misses Janet Ross, Daisy Ross, Edith Ross, Boo Wilson, Daisy Sawbridge, Marion Streeter, May Brogan, Marion Wright, Clare Holt, Janet Wilde, M. S. McDonald, Peggy McDonald, Evelyn Florence and Bobby Allan.

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Surprise Party Held

A surprise party was held on Friday evening at the home of Miss Zelma Purdy, 118 Robertson Street, when the self-invited guests included Misses Connie Ford, Mary Purdy, Mary Gilliland, Velma Anderson, Norma Jones, Annie Loine, Peggy Morrison, Laura Thomson, and Messrs. Bob Carey, John Todd, Lawrence Denton, Tommy Stevenson, West Whitlow, Harry Carson, John Small, Douglas Robertson and Gordon Killie. A very enjoyable evening was spent in dancing.

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At Beverley Building

Among those registered at the Beverley Hotel Apartments, Yates Street, are Mr. and Mrs. Amos Kinsey, Moosomin, Sask.; Mr. and Mrs. James J. Tait, and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Binns and Miss Edith Binns, Meota, Sask.; Mr. J. Scully and Mr. D. L. King, Saskatchewan; Mr. Joseph Johnson, Bickleigh, Sask.; Mr. and Mrs. Ancell, Saskatchewan; Mr. Church, Calgary, Alta.; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Young, Victoria, B.C.

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Back in Victoria

Mrs. J. O. Cameron has returned after an extended visit to the States, during which she spent seven weeks in New York enjoying a round of operas, concerts and theatres. She also visited Philadelphia, Washington, D.C., and other Eastern cities before starting back to the West, the last two or three weeks of her trip being spent in California.

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Visitors to Art Gallery

Among the recent visitors to the Crystal Garden Art Gallery were Hugh Willner, Honolulu; Mr. E. G. MacMurdrey, Calgary; Mr. MacLaren, Calgary; Mrs. J. Chapman, Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morford, Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. Collins, Winnipeg; Mr. and Mrs. Bengough, Saskatchewan; and Mr. R. H. Paul, Prince Albert, Saskatchewan.

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Tea Recital

Miss Gwendoline Harper entertained yesterday at a tea recital for her pupils at the studio, 1020 Bank Street. The following pupils took part in the programme: Mabsie Warn, Doris Tadman, Doris Barnett, Evelyn Bland, Winona Bjornsfelt, Christine Addison, Reginald MacDonald, Geoffrey Robbins and Kenneth Stevens.

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Leave for East

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Plaskett and their two children left yesterday afternoon for Vancouver, en route to the East, Mr. Plaskett being due at Harvard on February 1, to take over his lectureship at Harvard College Observatory, while Mrs. Plaskett for the present is to visit with relatives at Ottawa.

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At Devonshire House

Guests at Devonshire House include: Mrs. A. F. Beasley, Victoria; Mrs. M. S. Bell, Vancouver; Mrs. F. A. Greenwood, Saseenos, Books; Mrs. F. M. Forrest, Milden, Sask.; Mrs. T. Brown, Malahat Park; Miss Porter, Victoria; Miss Townsend, Duncan; Miss Sams, London.

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Bridge Hostess

Miss Frances Briggs entertained with four tables of bridge yesterday afternoon at her home on South Turner Street. Additional guests were present at the tea hour, and the table was arranged with lovely mauve chrysanthemums and fern.

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Marriage Takes Place

The marriage took place at "Breadalbane," the home of the officiating minister, Rev. J. Campbell, D.D., of Margaret Mary Forrester and Mr. Richard Chester, of Lincolnshire, England.

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Leave for Seattle

Miss Nelle Thacker, graduate of the Cornish School, Seattle, and her accompanist, Miss Olive Heale, L.A.B., left for Seattle on Saturday afternoon. Miss Thacker will return to Victoria on Wednesday.

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Leave for Europe

Mrs. Arthur Robertson and Miss Grace Robertson will leave tomorrow for Vancouver, en route to New York and will sail on the Empress of Scotland on the Mediterranean cruise.

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Recovering From Illness

Mrs. C. W. Bradshaw, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at St. Joseph's Hospital on Wednesday night, is making satisfactory progress toward recovery.

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Is Recovering

Mrs. B. Ross, of 1127 Fort Street, has been ill for the past week. Though now on the road to recovery it will be some time before she will be able to receive visitors.

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Bridge Hostess

Miss Claire Vincent was hostess at a bridge party of five tables yesterday afternoon at her home on Topaz Avenue. Additional guests were invited to tea.

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To Leave for New York

Mrs. D. E. Campbell will leave on Tuesday for New York, where she will visit her daughter, Miss Margaret Campbell, who is studying music there.

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Leaves for England

Mrs. G. H. Allen, of Glenshiel Hotel, left a few days ago for England, intending to return early in the Spring.

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Leave for California

Mrs. Wallace Watson and her three children are leaving today for Hollywood, where they will spend a few months.

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Returning From England

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. W. Jennings and Billy Jennings are expected back from England today.

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Here for Winter

Mr. Victor Rodenbour and Miss L. Rodenbour, of Demas, Saskatchewan, will spend the Winter here with friends.

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From Sahtlam

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Rattray, of Sahtlam, are spending the week-end in town.

Brentwood Personals

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Wallace have returned from a holiday spent at Eugene, Ore., visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Ruth.

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Mr. and Mrs. Collett, of Winnipeg, are spending a holiday at the Beach.

Cowichan Bay News

Mrs. William Petnay, with her little daughter, has gone to spend the week-end with her parents at Nanaimo.

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Mr. A. Robertson returned to Cowichan Bay after a few days' cruise around the Gulf Islands in his yacht, the Edith Colvin.

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Mrs. Anna Falk has returned to Cowichan Bay after spending her holidays at her home in Fort Langley.

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Mr. R. C. Ross, of The Uplands, Victoria, has been staying at the Cowichan Bay Inn, on a duck-hunting trip.

Gibbins Road News

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Weismiller, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Weismiller, "Fruitlands," have gone to Vancouver, where they will reside.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gwyn, formerly of Saskatoon, are residing at the Munroe ranch.

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Mrs. J. H. Ash, who has been a patient at the King's Daughters' Hospital, Duncan, for some weeks, is reported to be slightly improved.

Troubadours Dance

Much interest has been aroused among the dancing fraternity in Victoria by the recent announcement of another dance by the Troubadours. It is to be held in the Empress ballroom on the evening of Friday, January 27, from 9 until 2 o'clock. Tickets for the dance are on sale at George Straith's and the office of the Cameron Wood & Coal Company.

ST. BARNABAS DANCE

St. Barnabas' A.Y.P.A. will hold a dance on Thursday, February 2, in the K. of C. Hall. Dancing will continue from 9 till 1 o'clock and a popular orchestra has been engaged for the occasion.

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Firemen Plan Annual Ball for February 10

Great interest is centred in the fire fighters' annual ball, which is to be held at the Empress Hotel on Friday, February 10. Although tickets have only been on sale for a few days, a number have already been disposed of and numerous requests have been received. The success of the firemen's ball in the past is well known. Everything possible, however, has been done to make this year's function bigger and better than ever. Tickets may now be obtained from any member of the fire department.

Canadian Scenes Are To Be Exhibited

On Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock, in the Sons of Canada Hall, an interesting entertainment will be presented by Assembly No. 1, Native Sons of Canada, and Assembly No. 5, Canadian Daughters League. It will consist of some interesting moving pictures of Canadian scenes, the machine and films having been loaned for the occasion by the Canadian National Railways. Miss Laura White, accompanied by Miss Nora Edwards, will render a solo, and Master Neil Brown-Cave, gold medalist, accompanied by Mrs. Brown-Cave, will give selections on the violin. The programme will be followed by refreshments, in charge of Mrs. H. Wilson, and all friends of the two assemblies are welcome.

Dance Planned

The ladies of the Order of the Royal Purple, Victoria Lodge No. 5, have arranged to entertain at a bridge party, followed by a dance, on Tuesday evening, at 8:30 o'clock, in the Elks' clubrooms, Douglas Street. A number of excellent prizes will be distributed at the conclusion of the cards, and refreshments will be served. The committee in charge is composed of Mrs. D. V. McGary (convener), phone 7011Y; Mrs. J. Gillis, phone 1066, and Mrs. W. Herbert, phone 2342. Reservations for tables may be made by telephoning to any member of the committee.

VOTE SUM TOWARD FURNISHING ROOM

Native Daughters' Post, No. 3, Have Numerous Activities Under Way for Raising Funds

The sum of $25 was voted as first instalment on the furniture for a bedroom at the Y.W.C.A., when the Native Daughters of B.C., Post No. 3, held their regular business meeting at the Victoria Club, with the chief factor, Mrs. H. A. Beckwith, in the chair. It was decided to hold a card party in the near future, and Misses Eva Mess, Henrietta Neelands, Merle Lorimer, Madge Oliver and Mrs. Beckwith are making arrangements.

The post will hold a birthday party in March, when charter members will be the guests of honor. A committee was formed to work with the Native Sons of B.C., Post No. 1, to plan entertainment for the delegates to the Grand Post convention which meets here April 27 and 28.

The library committee reported the purchase of another book, and that advertisements had been placed for "The Passing of the Race" and "The Mystic Spring," which are now out of print. Miss Lottie Bowron was appointed librarian.

Miss Mae McCorkall was the winner of the pillowcases which were raffled, and Miss Mildred Chrow won the attendance prize presented by Miss Lorimer.

Letters of thanks for flowers were received from Mrs. L. M. B. Dodds, Mrs. D. B. Nickerson, and Mrs. W. S. Terry; also from the Salvation Army and the Children's Aid Society for Christmas donations.

The next meeting, on January 24, will take the form of initiation, followed by a social arranged by Miss Eva Mess.

Weddings

VOSE—BLAKEMORE

ALBERNI.—A quiet wedding was solemnized at the residence of the bride's parents on Tuesday, when Miss Constance Blakemore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Blakemore, of Alberni, was united in matrimony to Mr. Harvey Vose, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Vose, of Sayward. The bride, who entered the room on the arm of her father, to the strains of the Wedding March rendered by Mrs. W. L. Blakemore, looked charming in a dress of pale pink georgette trimmed with Roman cut-work embroidery with a veil and orange blossom; she carried a bouquet of pink carnations and white chrysanthemums and smilax. Miss Myrtle Beck, tastefully attired in pale pink georgette, carrying a bouquet of white chrysanthemums, acted as bridesmaid. The bridegroom was supported by Mr. Wynn Beck. The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. A. Bagshawe in the presence of a few relatives and intimate friends. The couple were the recipients of many beautiful and useful presents. They left for Victoria by the morning train. The honeymoon will be spent in that city and Vancouver, after which they will take up their residence at Sayward.

BOWLING CLUB DANCE

The Burnside Ladies' Bowling Club will hold a dance on Friday evening at Hampton Hall from 9 to 1 o'clock.

TENNIS CLUB DANCE

The Armadale Lawn Tennis Club propose to hold what will in all probability be its last dance this season, on Friday, February 17, at the new Amphion Hall (over Gordon's late store) at 729 Yates Street. Dancing will be from nine until one o'clock, and a three-piece orchestra will provide the music. Supper will be served during the course of the evening. All members and friends of members of the club will be welcomed.

Fashion Fancies

By Marie Belmont

There is a charming sophistication about metal cloth that makes it especially delightful for the simply cut evening frock. It needs little or no adornment to be effective.

A waist that blouses over a broad hip sash that ends at the side, with a double bow with long ends, and a jeweled ornament, make this frock notable for its smart simplicity.

The skirt has a circular fullness and an even hemline.

Dramalogue Tomorrow

"Simply Scandalous," a translation of Gerhardie's new play, will be read at the dramalogue tomorrow at the Empress Hotel, when those taking part will include Mrs. H. G. Garrett, Mrs. W. H. Squire, Miss Ora Pearson, Capt. Thorpe-Doubble, R.N. (retd.), Capt. Ramsay and Major Bullock-Webster.

Students' Recital

Considerable talent and admirable training were revealed in the course of the recital given yesterday afternoon by pupils of Miss Eva Hart at her home on Lampson Street. Each of the students contributed two or three numbers to the delightful programme, which offered a short interval during which tea was served, after which Mme. Stavrakova, interpolating very prettily, entertained the class with a group of modern Russian songs sung in Russian. Other pupils who sang pleasingly and won enthusiastic applause were Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Redford, Miss Audrey Bushby, Miss Nora Colquhoun, Miss Mary Pearsey, Miss Hetty Blankenbach, Miss Claire Allen, Miss Violet Worden and Miss Pattie Simister.

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Society Notes From Vancouver

VANCOUVER, Jan. 14.—The visit of Mrs. L. S. Amery was the reason for a delightful party given on Monday evening at Hotel Vancouver by Mrs. Weldon Coates and her sister, Miss Mildred Bennett. For the occasion the oval room had been beautifully decorated. There were about forty ladies present.

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To Leave for Ottawa

Miss Bennett, who spent a few days last week on Vancouver Island, expects to leave for Ottawa on Monday.

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Dinner Hosts

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Rooke were hosts at a dinner party given at the Shaughnessy Golf Club at the beginning of the week. Their guests, who later in the evening played bridge, included Mr. Justice and Mrs. W. A. Macdonald, Col. and Mrs. H. St. J. Montizambert, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Boucher, Mr. and Mrs. George Kidd, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Salter, of Summerland; Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Lay, Mr. and Mrs. W. Percival Kirkpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. Laird Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Youngman, Mr. and Mrs. Norman DesBrisay, Miss Monica Mason Rooke and Mr. Philips.

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For Mrs. Amery

Another party given in honor of Mrs. L. S. Amery was a luncheon at Jericho Country Club, when Mrs. Aulay Morrison entertained. Her guests were Mrs. F. C. Wade, Mrs. Hewitt Bostock, Dr. Marion Bostock, Mrs. Frank J. Burd, Mrs. R. J. Cromie, Mrs. Victor Odlum, Miss F. R. McD. Russell, Mrs. Denis Murphy, Mrs. J. W. deB. Farris, Mrs. F. C. Wade, Mrs. J. N. Ellis, Mrs. Leon Ladner, Mrs. A. McC. Creery, Mrs. Grange V. Holt, Mrs. Jonathan Rogers, Mrs. Julius Griffith, Mrs. Guy Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Harold Robertson, Mrs. A. P. Horne, Mrs. R. S. Lennie, Mrs. Mason Rooke, Mrs. B. D. Gillies, Mrs. Fyfe Smith, Miss Jessie Gordon.

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Recital for Friends

On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Robert P. Shannon threw open her residence for a recital given by Miss Constance and Miss Margaret Izard for their friends. Miss Edna Rogers played the accompaniments. The tea table was presided over by Mrs. Edward Mahon, and the guests included Mrs. B. T. Rogers, Mrs. Ernest Buckerfield, Mrs. Frank C. Saunders, Mrs. C. J. Peters, Mrs. Adams, Mrs. W. A. James, Mrs. Douglas Johnston, Mrs. George Winter, Mrs. A. R. Dingman, Mrs. E. O. Cornish, Mrs. George Winter, Mrs. J. F. Malkin, Mrs. J. P. D. Malkin, Mrs. A. B. Erskine, Miss Hungerford, Miss Lily Laverock, Miss Macdonald, Mrs. Arthur Wylie, Mrs. deLong, of Glenn Falls, N.Y., and Mrs. A. Z. deLong.

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Bridge Host

Mr. Walter Roberts entertained at bridge at his home on Pacific Street on Tuesday evening, when his guests included Miss Mollie Williams, Miss Marion Coote, Miss Bee Lennie, Miss Margaret Mackenzie, Miss Vi Hicks, Miss Hope Gavins, of San Francisco; Mr. John Roberts, Mr. Harry Roberts, Mr. Lennox Mackenzie, Mr. Thomas Hutchison, Mr. Frank Bonnell and Mr. George Kirkpatrick.

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Visit Chilliwack

Lieut.-Colonel and Mrs. Leslie Coote have returned from Chilliwack, where they visited their daughter, Mrs. J. E. Leslie. On their return Mrs. Coote entertained at bridge in honor of Mrs. Russell Coote, who is their guest.

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Going to Bermuda

Mrs. Howe, of Minneapolis, who has been spending the Christmas holidays with her daughter, Mrs. A. D. McRae, is leaving in the near future for Bermuda. She was the guest of honor at a dinner on Tuesday, given by Mrs. Norman Lang.

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Bridge Hosts

Lieut.-Colonel and Mrs. Nelson Spencer were bridge hosts at their home on Cedar Crescent on Wednesday evening.

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Tea Hour Hostess

Mrs. E. J. McMullen received a number of guests at the tea hour on Thursday, when her guests of honor were Mrs. Thompson, of Toronto, and Mrs. Irving, also of Toronto, sisters of Mrs. John Burns.

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Returns to Victoria

Miss Marjorie Rant, of Victoria, who has been visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Clarke, Angus Avenue, for the past week, has returned to her home in the Capital.

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Goes South

Mrs. Walter Taft Hutchins has left for Los Angeles, where she will spend the remainder of the Summer. She was accompanied part of the way by her daughter, Mrs. Donald Charleson, and her son, Norman, en route to their home in Port Angeles.

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Hostess at Shower

Miss Isobel Duff-Stuart was hostess at a kitchen shower given at her home on Balfour Avenue on Friday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bartram, whose marriage was one of the interesting social events of December in Ottawa. Mrs. Bartram was the former Marion McLean, of Ottawa.

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For Mrs. Howe

Complimenting Mrs. Howe, of Minneapolis, prior to her departure for Bermuda, Mrs. Julius Griffith entertained twelve guests at luncheon, followed by bridge, on Friday.

ROYAL SOCIETY OF ST. GEORGE

Members of the local branch of the Royal Society of St. George will meet on Tuesday evening for a social evening and dance in the Conservative Club rooms, Campbell Building, at eight o'clock. Refreshments will be donated by members and served by the entertainment committee under Mr. Douglas Fletcher. Tables for whist will be provided. The newly-elected officers will be formally installed at the meeting on Tuesday: Mr. A. E. G. Cornwell taking over the duties of honorary secretary of the society.

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Made with plain knit or with Rayon silk stripe, built-up shoulders or short sleeves. Sizes 36 to 44. Values to 85c. Clearing at **59c**

18 Pairs Fleece Knit Bloomers at 49c
Black only. Sizes 42 and 44. Regular 89c. Clearing at **49c**

Harvey's Wool and Silk Mixture Vests at $1.29
"Substandards," but with very slight imperfections which you will find hard to detect. Built-up shoulders only. Sizes 36 to 44. Values $2.25 each. Clearing at **$1.29**

Wood's Lavender Line Knit Bloomers at $1.39
Cotton Knit Bloomers with rayon silk stripe. Shown in pink, sand and cream. Clearing at, per pair **$1.39**

Fleece-Knit Combinations at $1.49
Medium weight garments of knee length, with built-up shoulders or short sleeves. Sizes 36 to 44. Formerly $1.95 per pair. Clearing at **$1.49**

Harvey's Lisle Combinations, Reg. $1.75 for 98c
Dependable garments in knee length, with built-up shoulders or short sleeves. Broken sizes. Regular $1.75 a pair. Clearing at **98c**

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As it is contrary to our policy to carry over to next season this season's stocks, we have marked down for clearance our entire collection of hats, including all exclusive models. There are felts, velvets and metallics to choose from, in styles that are quite new—hats that will still be fashionable next season. Many are offered at considerably less than half original prices.

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Women's Chubby Umbrellas—New Styles—Special, $4.95

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Children's Hickory Suspenders
White or black. Sizes 2 to 15 years. Regular, per pair, 35c. Special, per pair **29c**

Wire Glove Dryers
Per pair **35c**

Women's Sew-On Suspenders
Made from "Hickory" elastic in white and pink. Regular, per pair, 25c. Special, per pair **19c**

Fancy Art Silk Covered Coat Hangers
In attractive rainbow colors. Regular 14c each. Special price ..... 3 for **35c**

Mermaid Invisible Hairpins
Dependable make. Black or brown. Price, per box, containing 100 ..... **8c**
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Infants' Rubber Pants
In natural shade only. Good quality and neatly shirred at legs and waists. Price, per pair **19c**
2 pairs for **35c**

¼-Inch Lisle Elastic
Pink, sky and black. Regular 29c for roll of 5½ yards. Special for **19c**

Kleinert's Shur-On Front Pad Belt Hose Supporter
Shown in black and sky. Regular 50c. Special for **35c**

Hickory Shirred Elastic
All colors. Regular 75c per yard. Clearing at **39c**

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Attractive Specials From the Leather Goods Section

Leather Music Cases, Regular $2.50 for $1.98
Adjustable to flat or folding style and with lock and key. Strongly made for hard wear. Regular $2.50. January Sale, each, **$1.98**

Pouch Style Handbags, Regular $4.50 for $3.98
Novelty Batique effect leathers in newest colors. Fitted with centre compartment and mirror, neatly lined and well finished throughout. Regular $4.50. January Sale, each, **$3.98**

Black Leatherette Shopping or School Bags, Reg. 95c for 79c
Neat looking and excellent wearing bags, in satchel style, with double strap handles. Regular 95c. January Sale Price, each, **79c**

Fancy Snake Grained Handbags, Regular $3.50 and $3.98 for $1.98
Novelty grained effects, in smart underarm bags, beautifully fitted, with two inside compartments, mirror and adjustable handles. These are very exceptional value. Regular $3.50 and $3.98. January Sale Price, each **$1.98**

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A great number of items in wanted drug sundries offered at drastic price reductions. The bargains advertised for each day will hold good until Wednesday. For the many additional bargains see our special tables.

Travelling Hold-All; $3.25 value	$1.59
Bath Gloves, 75c values	39c
50c values	29c
Bath Loofahs, 85c value	49c
French Ivory Purse Mirrors, 35c value	19c
Colgate's Powder Compacts, $1.50 value	98c
Luxor Compacts, $2.00 value	$1.23
Piver's Toilet Soaps, 65c value	44c
Vaseline, Mentholated, 25c value	16c
Dralle Illusion Perfume, $1.50 value	$1.00
Araby Pastilles (Incense), 40c value	29c
Baby's French Ivory 6-Piece Set, $5.00 value for	$2.95
Boracic Lint, 4-oz. size. Special	59c
Formaldehyde Fumigators, 75c value	49c
Mary Garden Vanity Toiletry Set, $8.00 value for	$4.95
Luxor Sun-Glow Rouge, 75c value	49c
Pinaud's Lilas Talcum, 50c value	29c
Pinaud's Face Powder, $1.00 value	79c
Zam-Buk Soap. Special price	18c
Baby Brushes, soft bristles, $1.00 value	49c
Ebony Hat Brushes, $1.00 value	57c
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Popular Styles, Dependable Makes in English Gabardines, All Offering at Reduced Prices

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Men's Dress Fawn Cravenette Coats, single-breasted and very dressy looking. Quarter lined with art silk. Splendidly tailored throughout. Pure wool material and not a heavy coat to carry. Finished in our "Trafalgar" high workmanship. Sizes 36 to 40. January Sale Price

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Men's "Aquatite" Wool Raincoats $18.85

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Men's English Gabardine Coats at $13.95

100 of these Wool Gabardine Coats, full check lined, with all-round belt, raglan sleeves. Shown in colors of fawn and navy. All sizes. January Sale Price

13.95

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Check Lined Gabardine Coats, with oil-skin interlining and detachable all-wool lining, absolutely weatherproof and windproof. Made in double-breasted style, with convertible storm collar, raglan sleeves, all-round belt and slash pockets. A full fitting, stylish looking coat. Sale Price

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3-Piece Mohair Suite
In dark walnut-color mohair of fine quality. Seats and facings in tapestry of contrasting color. January Sale **$285.00**
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Pillow Arm Chairs
Very comfortable easy chairs, with wide spring arms and loose spring cushion seats. Covered in attractive tapestry. January Sale **$45.00**
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With deep spring backs and spring cushioned seats. Special for January Sale at **$36.75**
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With hand-carved solid walnut frame and upholstered in figured Jacquard velour of very pleasing coloring. Each suite comprises setter and two chairs. Regular $325.00. January Sale, **$265.00**
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—Third Floor, H.B.C.

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6-oz. tin, special	24c
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Procter & Gamble's White Naptha Soap, 5 bars for	25c
Washing Soda, 5 lbs. for	10c
Princess Soap Flakes, large package	25c
Pure Vacuum Table Salt, 14-lb. sack	35c
Bon-Ami Powder, per tin	17c
Bear Brand Chloride of Lime, per carton	15c
Witch Soot Destroyer, 2 packages for	25c
Gillett's Lye, per tin	15c
John Bull Brand Malt and Hops, per tin	$1.25
Blue Ribbon Matches, 400 to box, for	9c
Colman's D. S. F. Mustard, per tin	30c
Silver Gloss Laundry Starch, 1-lb. package	12c
Toilet Rolls, H. B. C. Special, 3 for	28c

Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Canada's Hold on the North Pacific

By J. B. THORNHILL

In last week's Magazine Section of The Sunday Colonist the writer of this article dealt with the passages through the Coast Range and showed that (with one exception) there was extensive mineralization in each case where the intrusion of basalt (batholith)—1,200 miles in length—came in contact with the sedimentary rocks to the eastward. The writer bases the future settlement of the Coast of British Columbia on the systematic search of "The Contact" for minerals and on research work to reduce the cost of clearing land.

PROSPECTING "THE CONTACT"

The aim of this article is to try and start settlement on the Coast of British Columbia—the unsettled part of the Empire. I believe that settlement can best be started by finding minerals and working mines on "The Contact" in the Coast Range. I am fully aware that I am dealing with a very difficult country, but I think that I have conclusively proved that "The Contact" is mineralized throughout its length—I want the work of searching "The Contact" and the country just east of it to be begun now.

We need not consider for the present the country north of Stewart. What we have to consider is what is the best way of searching "The Contact" from Vancouver to Stewart—from the canyon at Hope to the head of the Portland Canal. That is a line of country just over six hundred miles long and rather more than half the length of the Coast Range.

How little the Coast Range has been searched can be best illustrated by rough figures.

An area of twenty-five square miles has been well prospected in and around the neighborhood of Stewart. However, the actual distance prospected along "The Contact" in the Portland Canal district does not exceed five miles in length. Ignoring the country north of Stewart, not more than, if as much as, fifteen miles in length along "The Contact" has been searched for minerals south of the Portland Canal.

In plain words a line of country less than twenty miles long along "The Contact" is known. That is, less than a thirtieth part of the accessible part of "The Contact" has been prospected.

As a geographer—I can fully claim to be that, for, in addition to a lot of rough mapping work ahead of developments, I have "done" topography of one triangulation in Africa covering an area of thirty thousand square miles—I can easily prepare plans for systematic prospecting. There my power and ability ends.

The work of prospecting "The Contact" demands the co-operation of all business men in British Columbia, and the help of both the Dominion and Provincial Governments as well.

Further we shall need the help of the great financial centres of the world—New York and London.

It seems to me that now is a specially good time for action. Our Parliament meets in a fortnight. I should like the suggestions I have made to be openly discussed in the coming session and not made a matter of party politics.

THE MAP

It is too long a story to give the whys and wherefores of each suggested settlement. I will only deal with my suggested settlement areas in as concise a way as possible.

All the settlement areas are based on not being more than one hundred and fifty miles—six hours in a fast motor boat—from the central settlement areas, marked 3 in each case.

The figures of the suggested southern settlement areas are enclosed in circles, the northern areas in squares.

The settlement areas on Vancouver Island and the Queen Charlottes have nothing to do with the systematic prospecting of "The Contact" in the Coast range.

The area marked 1 in the south must be based on reducing the cost of land clearing. Its position would be somewhere between Victoria and Campbell River, where we have a very equable climate and a very low rainfall. It would of necessity, at first, be the largest settlement area.

The area marked 2 would be small and composed of men who would make suitable laborers in the development of the Campbell River country.

The area marked 3, at the north of Vancouver Island, should be a fishing settlement. It should be so placed as to avoid the heavy rainfall of the West Coast. This settlement would probably induce the Canadian Pacific Railway to extend the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway to the north end of the Island.

I think the area marked 4 in the suggested settlement scheme for the southern areas should be a military station and a naval base. We should ask the Dominion Government to make King Island the Gibraltar of our North Pacific Coast. The expense of starting this settlement should not be borne by the Province.

Equally the expense of starting settlements at the north and south ends of the Queen Charlottes and Gribell Island (marked 1, 2 and 3 in the northern areas) should not be entirely borne by the Province. They would at first be small fishing settlements and the settlers should be reservists of the Canadian navy.

The areas 5 in the south, 4 and 5 in the north (Bella Coola, Kitimat and Naas) are most suitable for schemes in which we would require the help and co-operation of the Imperial Government. These three settlements, which should each consist of a thousand families at the start, should be composed of selected miners who can no longer find employment in England. The men, under local leadership—we should need between one and two hundred leaders—could be employed in Summer in prospecting "The Contact" in the Coast range. They should be able to search three hundred miles of "The Contact" in three Summers' work. They would get local rates of pay and discovery rewards. In Winter they would work at home building and clearing the land on which they have been settled.

Finally, we have to consider climate. The whole or our North Pacific Coast is unique throughout. It is the same climate as that of the British Isles except that they adjoin a Continental area with a Summer rainfall and we adjoin a continental area with a Winter rainfall.

This rainfall is excessive in Winter in certain places. The rainfall depends very largely on the configuration of the land.

Six of the areas with which I have dealt have a moderate rainfall. Only in areas 1, 2, 3 in the north and 4 in the south would the rainfall be likely to cause inconvenience to settlers. The rainfall would not inconvenience either sailors or fishermen. That is why I have chosen these four areas for fishing settlements and a naval station.

The two best areas are, without doubt, Bella Coola and the East Coast of Vancouver Island, 5 and 1.

Bella Coola has 60,000 acres of good land in a compact block. It has a forty-eight inch rainfall.

The East Coast of Vancouver Island, south of Seymour Narrows, has a rainfall of twenty-six inches, a mean Winter temperature of 50 degs. F, a mean Summer temperature of 60 degs. F, no high winds and no thunderstorms. This narrow strip of land between the sea and the foothills of the Island range is, roughly, five to ten miles wide by 150 miles long.

To save controversy, I know that the Japanese current shown on the map does not play so great a part as many think. Still, it is hardly necessary for me to discuss the currents in the upper or deal with "isanamalies" (a word geophysicists have recently coined).

FIR FOREST COUNTRY

It is seldom that I can write anything on British Columbia without touching on the fir stump. It is a subject that I harp on. I cannot harp too much on the message I want to bring home to all: that the settlement of fir forest countries is for our day and generation and that it is imperatively necessary to spend money on research work to reduce the cost of land-clearing.

At the risk of being tedious—for I have already in four smaller articles written about the fir stump—I am going over my ground again.

All conifers are soft woods; all evergreens that are not conifers, and most deciduous trees, are hard woods. Countries can generally be described as desert, prairie (grass land), open forest or dense forest, according to the rainfall. Hardwood forest country in the temperate zone has invariably settled up well. Prairie, with access to the sea, has settled up well, without access to the sea badly. Deserts, owing to the recent financial backing of irrigation, are now settling up in the United States of America. No financial backing has, as yet, been given to the clearing, for settlement, of logged-off land in a fir forest country.

On the coast of British Columbia such backing is now needed.

The reason why hardwood forest—such as England once was—has settled up well is because, after the trees have been felled, the land, rich in vegetable mould (humus) from the annual fall of leaves can at once be cultivated, and in a few years the stumps will rot out. Fir stumps do not rot out owing to the resin and turpentine they contain. Further, the ground of fir forest is temporarily poisoned by the fallen fir needles, and the prolific seeding of conifers quickly turns logged-off land into a wilderness of second growth.

The Coast of British Columbia is a dense forest of fir and pine. In the north the uprooting and burning of fir stumps is expensive enough. On Vancouver Island and the fringe of Mainland, south of Knight's Inlet, the coniferous forest is the highest, densest and most luxuriant forest in the world. The cost, under present methods, of clearing logged-off land in this area is prohibitive.

The costs of land-clearing can be reduced and I shall deal, in detail, with this subject in another article.

CONCLUSION

To conclude, I give a few of my opinions. I do not believe in undefined public ownership of lands and resources any more than I believe in glut. I believe in private ownership, but I do not like the alienization policy of any province of Canada or of any part of the Empire. One of my reasons for this dislike is that alienization of lands and resources is not based on geographical principles. Another reason is that no alienization policy has been devised to prevent glut or monopoly.

It do not like Canadian advertising. We do not understand that sort of propaganda in England. It is idle to call it "hot air." In England they call it plausible lying—and lying is the one thing an Englishman never forgives.

Any luring people to Canada by false inducements, any "wild cat" schemes, any repudiation of obligations reacts—reacts because it hurts—throughout England and throughout the whole civilized world such acts of unrighteousness, even if they are few and far between, prevent the flow of investment that all new countries need.

Money invested in new countries represents hard-earned savings in older settled countries. Savings can never be too safely secured.

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No Englishman—no European for that matter—likes being brought to Canada to starve, for there are few who can adapt themselves quickly in entirely new environment and new conditions. The prairies cannot possibly absorb for many years the thousands of penniless workers, which powerful carrying companies in the East, and well-intentioned amateur colonizers in England are pouring into Canada.

To absorb immigrants we must have permanent work to offer them. Till we have something better to offer than seasonal work—employment in Summer and idleness in Winter—we have no right to invite our fellow Englishmen and Scotsmen to this Coast.

If we can only get something going, we can get all the settlers we want. They will be of the right type, for the right types will come if there is anything to come for. There will be no need to pick and choose as is, quite unnecessarily, being done today.

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In the beginning of my article I alluded to the tropics. I do not like the tropics. I am all for "the white man's part of the Empire." To me the teachings of history, prehistory, and modern anthropology are clear—"racial purity and isolation in racial habitat."

It has been England's great good fortune to have won the greater part of the white man's natural habitat—or realm—in the New World and her crowning achievement has been the exportation of her splendid racial values and the partial settlement of that realm.

The problem of settling this realm—our colonies, in simpler language—is for us to solve in this generation. It is idle to shout about resources. There is far too much of that sort of talk.

Great resources mean great difficulties. A man with a ton of diamonds cannot sell one of them. Those who are selling diamonds, the monopolists (De Beers) will see to that. A lake of coal oil is almost valueless because too much coal oil has been and can be produced. That is why there is such a man as Rockefeller. He stands for the prevention of glut.

Purposely, I have avoided dealing with our timber and our fisheries, my reason being to avoid controversy over glut and monopoly. An acre of timber—we have between ten and twenty million of such acres—can be bought today for seventy-five dollars. It can be turned into fifteen thousand dollars worth of boards—in theory, but not in practice. It is the same with the fish. It is possible to catch fish without number, but to sell them is a different matter.

Settlement schemes must be based on things that sell themselves. There can never be a glut of gold. The chances of there ever being a glut of either copper or silver is insignificant.

That is why I have based my scheme for settling the coastal belt of British Columbia on the systematic prospecting of the contact in the Coast Range. The reason why I have joined research work to reduce the cost of land-clearing with the prospecting of the Coast Range is because I like the country.

Our North Pacific seaboard is a very pleasant country. To my mind—and I have traveled a lot—it is the most pleasant country in the world. It seems a pity that we should be prevented from settling this very pleasant country by our enemy, the fir stump.

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An Englishman was sightseeing in America and was conducted by a boastful Yankee. Then they came to the statue of George Washington.

"Do you know," said the Yank, "that never a lie left his lips?"

"No," exclaimed the Englishman, "I don't doubt it. I expect he talked through his nose like the rest of you."

"Blind Justice"

By INA LEON CASSILIS

CHAPTER I

"I publish the banns of marriage between Anthony Gascoigne, bachelor, of this parish, and Doreen Holme, spinster, of this parish, at St. Clement's Kensington. This is for the second time of asking. Also . . ." But at that instant, and before the vicar of St. Michael the Archangel could utter another word, a clear, strong, woman's voice rang through the church. "I forbid the banns."

The effect was electrical; a thunderbolt dropping into the midst of the crowded congregation; a bomb thrown by an unseen hand into the nave, could not have been more startling. The priest paused; the congregation turned around with one accord and every eye gazed toward the west end of the church whence the voice proceeded; even the well-drilled choir boys and men looked in the same direction; but it was difficult to discover who had spoken, since everyone was standing. Only those at the end of the church had seen a woman start up in her place, as Mr. Beaumont, the vicar, read out the banns of marriage between Anthony Gascoigne and Doreen Holme. This woman was of medium stature and apparently about thirty years old; her features were handsome in a somewhat unrefined way, her attire fashionable. She was rather over than underdressed. A tall man, who stood by a pillar at the bottom of the church, started as the woman spoke and a look of utter astonishment flashed over his striking features. He could not see the interrupter, she was several rows in front of him, and hidden by the intervening people. Mr. Beaumont quickly recovered the astonishment caused by an unauthorized interruption. Raising his hand with an authoritative gesture, he said, rather sternly, "The person who has just spoken must remain silent until the end of the service. If she will then come to the vestry, I will see her and hear anything she may have to say."

At the same moment, a sidesman, having discovered the protestant, made his way to her, and in a low voice told her that she must not speak again—for she seemed about to do so. She looked flushed and excited, but sat down again with a toss of the head, which alone would have proclaimed her as falling short of ladyhood.

Mr. Beaumont went on calmly with the notices, and the congregation gradually subsided into their customary reverence of demeanor; but those within eyeshot of the lady who had forbidden the banns stole many a glance at her, wondering who she was, and what concern she could have with Anthony Gascoigne and his marriage.

Anthony, as some knew, though he was a rich landowner living in the charmed Olympia of fashion, often came to this West Central church, and was a great friend of the vicar. (There he was by the pillar at the end, someone whispered to his companion; did he know what this interruption meant?) The woman made no pretence of even outward decorum; she sat throughout prayers and worship, even leaning back in her chair during the most solemn moment. She was waiting with ill-concealed impatience for the end of the service, and paid no attention to the service itself.

When the service was finished and the congregation was beginning to move, she turned to a lady, who had just risen from her knees, and said, "What am I to do now? Where is the vestry?"

"A verger or sidesman will come for you," the other replied. "The vicar will send a message."

"What is his name?"

"Beaumont—Denis Beaumont."

The woman nodded, and said no more, and presently a verger approached her and bade her follow him to the vestry. The church was now empty, save for the tall man by the pillar—Anthony Gascoigne himself—but he made no move until the woman and her guide had disappeared at the end of the church. Then he followed them.

The woman was ushered into the vestry and found herself in the presence of Denis Beaumont. He had risen as she entered, and stood by a small, unpolished table, an impressive figure in his long cassock; a spare man, not yet forty, with a thin, clean-shaven face, bright, keen dark eyes, and a prim yet sensitive mouth. He bent his head slightly, and when the door had closed, spoke without preamble or hesitation. "Will you tell me your name, please; and why you forbade the banns?"

The visitor shunned the penetrating gaze that scanned her, but replied boldly and almost insolently. "My name is, or rather was, Vera Carslake, and I forbade the banns because Mr. Gascoigne is already married to me."

Before the priest could reply to this singular statement, there was a knock at the door, which opened immediately and closed behind Anthony Gascoigne. His dark eyes went to the woman's face—she had turned instantly on his entrance—without the slightest sign of recognition. His handsome face was white and stern. "What does this mean?" he asked, addressing the vicar.

Vera Carslake laughed a short, hard laugh. "You have admirable self-control," she said. "I haven't changed so much in six months that you don't recognize me."

"I never saw you in my life," said Gascoigne shortly.

Beaumont interposed: "This lady asserts that she is your wife, Gascoigne."

"My wife!" repeated Gascoigne, amazed. "one must be mad or an impostor. I have no wife."

"We'll see," said the woman unabashed. "Listen to me, sir," turning to the priest. "I say that this gentleman—you wouldn't pass him up in a crowd, you'd notice him—this gentleman, I say, was married to me, Vera Carslake, six months ago, on the twenty-third of May, at the parish church at Stanmore, —shire, by the rector, the Rev. Grant Maitland. You'll see his name—Anthony Gascoigne—signed in the register of the church. You may deny, Mr. Gascoigne, but facts are stubborn things."

Gascoigne had listened with a kind of contemptuous indulgence to these astounding statements, and now turned to the priest with a smile and a shrug, as if the matter were scarce worthy of serious treatment. "I might treat this as a very bad jest," he said, "but for the scandal of the public protest which it pleased Miss or Mrs. Carslake to make. You know me, Beaumont," face and voice changed now, "and you will believe me when I tell you that I never saw this woman in my life, nor have I ever been in Stanmore."

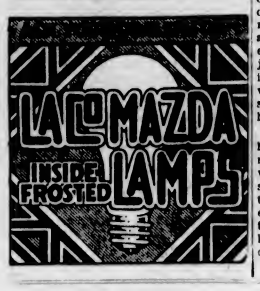
Vera Carslake interposed brusquely. "Perhaps, then," she said, "Mr. Gascoigne will be able to prove where he was on the twenty-third of May, between the hours of ten and twelve o'clock?"

"Is it blackmail?" said Gascoigne, his stern, searching eyes bore down even her audacious gaze; but she only winced, she was not defeated. "I don't want blackmail," she said, "but I do want a suitable provision. You left me at the church door, you swore to return to me; but I never saw you from that day till—this."

"This grows interesting," said Gascoigne, "suitable provision—one of the many methods of blackmail. You never saw me at all, Miss Carslake, nor do I believe that you imagine you saw me. But I should like to hear your story from the beginning. Beaumont, is this business detaining you?"

"Not at all! I should prefer to hear Miss Carslake's story."

(To be continued)



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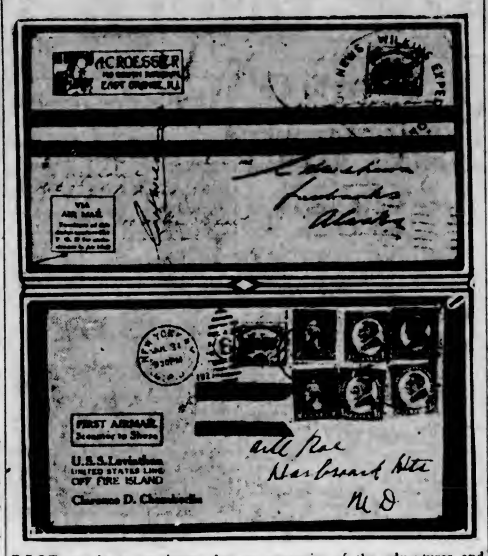

NOT merely as specimens, but as souvenirs of the adventures and heroism of the pioneer air mail carriers, the collection of envelopes in which letters have been carried on first flights and on unusual flights has become a recognized fad. The top specimen records Wilkins' first flight to Alaska. It has written, lower left: "3,000 miles over Arctic ice by airplane. Lat. 77.45, Long., 175; 100 miles on foot to shore." This is in Wilkins' handwriting, and is endorsed across its face with his signature. A value of $35 is placed on this specimen. Lower is the envelope carried by Clarence D. Chamberlin on his flight from the Ss. Leviathan to New York in the first attempt to speed up overseas mail delivery by the use of the airplane. It is valued at $30.

Address on China Tomorrow Night

A lecture of unusual interest will take place in the schoolroom of the First United Church on Monday, at 8 p.m., when Rev. J. Bompas, who has spent twelve years of his life in China, will deliver an illustrated talk on "The Life and Customs in China."

In view of the present interest in China, the Young People's Department, under whose auspices the lecture is being held, have decided to throw the meeting open to the general public. Invitations have been sent to students to attend this event, and a capacity house is fully anticipated.

Mr. Bompas possesses a unique set of sixty beautifully colored slides of the Orient, and wherever they have been shown they have been commented on as being exceptionally fine. Mr. Bompas will refer to domestic, industrial, and religious customs of the people of that country. The lecturer is a very fluent and interesting speaker, and is a leader in young people's work in the city of Victoria as well as assistant pastor of the First Church.

A musical programme will be given by the following artists: Mrs. Bowden, Miss Marjorie Watson, and Miss Beth Simpson, vocalists; Mr. Chris Miller, violinist. There will be no admission charge, but a free-will offering will be taken during the evening.

Kitty McKay

By Nina Wilcox Putnam

The girl-friend says that the best thing to take for a cold, is a couple of your husband's largest handkerchiefs.

MUSIC STUDENTS RECEIVE REWARD

Certificates Presented by Mrs. J. O. Cameron to Successful Pupils at Columbia School

On Friday evening Mrs. J. O. Cameron presented the certificates of the Associated Board of the Royal Academy and Royal College of Music to successful students of the Columbia School of Music. After a very charming programme, taken part in by Miss Dorothy Hartree, Miss Ethel Macfarlane, Miss Gertrude Hawkswood, vocals; Miss Olive Heale, L.A.B., Miss Laura Lee, Miss Gertrude Straight, Desmond and Brian Burdon-Murphy, piano; Miss Beth Graham, Miss Mary Philip, Rosette Lee, R. Mackie, and George Tate, violin; Mrs. Cameron addressed the students, stressing the importance of the examinations, which she said was a sort of stocktaking of the year's work. It was something to work for, and she urged the students to aim at winning the highest certificate granted by the Associated Board, and not to let a failure now and then dishearten them, but rather let it make them more determined to win, and win well the next time.

Mrs. Cameron thanked the students for the musical programme, which she said deserved the highest praise, and she warmly complimented the Columbia School, both staff and students, on the excellent work they were doing, and on the big number of successes, which she termed a splendid record. Mrs. Cameron spoke of the artists brought to the city by the Ladies' Musical Club, and urged the students to attend these artist recitals, not only as a duty to music, but as a help to their own musical education.

Mrs. Cameron was presented with a bouquet of flowers by Rosette Lee on behalf of the school, another bouquet being presented to Miss Olive Heale on receiving her L.A.B. certificate.

THE AWARDS

The following students received certificates:

Licentiate of the Associated Board of the Royal Academy and Royal College, teachers' certificate, L.A.B., Miss Olive Heale; advanced grade, vocal, with honorable mention, Miss Gertrude Hawkswood; advanced grade, violin, Miss Beth Graham; intermediate grade, vocal, with honors, Miss Dorothy Hartree; intermediate grade, vocal, Mrs. Bernard Bonner; intermediate grade, piano, Mona McDonald, Jennie Sheppard, Desmond Burdon-Murphy and Brian Burdon-Murphy; higher grade, vocal, Miss Ethel Macfarlane and Miss Effie Lindsay; higher grade, violin, with honors, George Tate, honorable mention, Rosette Lee; higher grade, piano, Essie Saens, Roberta Bosustow, Hilda Graham, Doris Waite, Stella Wilkinson, Kenneth Bonner; lower grade, piano, with honorable mention, Marjorie Oliver; lower grade, piano, Evelyn Dawson, Josephine Politano, Opal Day, Horace Peck; elementary grade, piano, honorable mention, Audrey Milne, Virginia Ross, Alice Strickland, Margaret Parker, Jessie McDonald, Hubert Sceats, John Hess, Harold Alexander, Douglas Wyndham, Clifford Barlow; elementary grade, violin, Alan Mayhew; primary grade, violin, with honorable mention, Katherine Sceats; primary grade, violin, Muriel Graham, Robert O'Neil; primary grade, piano, Violet Waite, Nancy Murray; rudiments of music, Mrs. B. Bonner, Miss Dorothy Hartree, Miss Dorothy Osborn, Miss Laura Lee, Kenneth Bonner; grammar III, Essie Saens; grammar II, Evelyn Cox, Josephine Politano, Violet Beasley, Winnifred Naven, Lilian Livingstone, Evelyn Stoddard; grammar I, Roberta Bosustow, Hilda Graham, Stella Wilkinson, George Tate, Clifford Wallis, Alan Mayhew, John Hess, Robert O'Neil, Clifford Barlow, Jessie McDonald, Lavena Neelands, Phyllis Boden.

CONCERT AT ST. MARY'S

On Saturday next, January 21, at 8 o'clock, a concert and Scout and Cub display, in aid of St. Mary's Troop and Pack, will take place at St. Mary's Hall, Oak Bay. The boys will go through some interesting work, and the rest of the programme will be taken up with vocal and instrumental music, also dancing. Tickets can be obtained from the honorary secretary, Major G. W. C. MacNeill, telephone 6891Y1, or from the Scout and Cub masters.

COLUMBIA W.A. BOARD TO MEET

Annual Gathering Will Be Held This Week, With Junior Session on Saturday

BILLETING OF DELEGATES ISSUED

The annual meeting of the Diocesan Board of Columbia Woman's Auxiliary to the Missionary Society of the Church of England in Canada will be held in Victoria this week, commencing on Wednesday, January 18, with service of holy communion in Christ Church Cathedral at 9.30 o'clock, with the Lord Bishop of Columbia as celebrant, the sermon to be preached by Rev. E. O. Robathan, rector of Cumberland.

The business sessions will be held in the Memorial Hall, on Wednesday afternoon and three days following.

The girls' annual meeting will be held on Wednesday at 7:30 o'clock, at which a missionary play, "The Map," will be given by the new branch of the Girls' W.A. of Christ Church Cathedral.

On Saturday, January 21, the junior annual meeting will be held at 2.30 o'clock.

LITERATURE SECRETARIES

On Thursday evening, previous to the annual meeting, the diocesan secretary-treasurer of literature, Mrs. Ernest H. Bird, has issued an invitation to all branch literature secretaries to attend an informal matinee in the home of Miss Macklem, 1126 Richardson Street, which has been kindly lent for the occasion, at 8 o'clock, to which any delegate is invited, even if she is not a literature secretary.

On Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Schofield will be at home to all delegates and W.A. members at Bishop's Close, from 4 to 5:30 p.m. Delegates are asked to come prepared to join in the discussion on W.A. work and methods, and are requested to bring their copies of the November Living Message with them on Wednesday for reference purposes. All women interested in the work of the church are invited to attend the meetings to hear what has been carried out during the past year by the Woman's Auxiliary.

THE DELEGATES

The convener of hospitality, Mrs. Luxton, has been notified that the following delegates will attend the diocesan annual meeting: Mrs. Spriling, from Chemainus; Mrs. Tisdale, from Sooenos, who will be the guest of the Bishop and Mrs. Schofield; Rev. E. O. Robathan and Mrs. Robathan, from Cumberland, who will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Nivin, 1230 St. Patrick Street; Mrs. A. L. Pack, from Royston, will be the guest of Mrs. F. M. Norrish, Quadra Apartments, 855 Fort Street; Miss Annie Forrest, secretary of the Girls' W.A. of Sandwick and Courtenay, will be the guest of Mrs. Quainton; Mrs. Bourdillion, who is attending as delegate from the senior branch of the same parish, will visit relatives in the city; Mrs. Hickey, from Parksville, will be the guest of Mrs. R. Fowler, 309 Foul Bay Road; Mrs. Cann, from Metchosin, will be the guest of Mrs. Chrow, 1030 Burdett Avenue; Mrs. Armitage, from Tofino, will be the guest of Mrs. Chapman, the Rectory, St. Paul's, Esquimalt; Mrs. Cooke, with two other delegates from Courtenay, will stay at Miss Agnew's, Rockland Avenue; Mrs. Johnston, from Salt Spring Island, will stay at the Y.W.C.A. as the guest of Mrs. W. H. Belson. Mr. Aufield, principal of the Boys' Industrial School at Alert Bay, will be the guest of Miss Turner, and Miss Alice Cox will be the guest of Canon and the Misses Stocken.

Annual Bridge Tea

Much interest is being taken in the annual bridge and mah jong party of the Women's Canadian Club, which is to be held at the Amphion Hall, Yates Street, over the former Gordon's Store, on Tuesday afternoon next at 2.45 o'clock. Many tables have been reserved, and others may be secured through Mrs. H. F. Crowe. Members who do not play will be welcomed at the tea hour.

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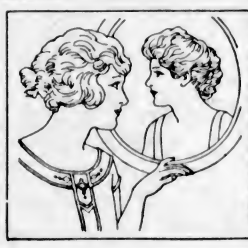

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TORONTO LEAFS SNOW UNDER NEW YORK RANGERS

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Leaf Captain Nets Three Goals for Team—Montreal Maroons Hand Pittsburgh Pirates Four to Nil Trimming in Poor Exhibition—Score Three in Third Period

Boston Bruins Strengthen Lead By Halting Ottawa Senators, 4-2

ARENA GARDENS, TORONTO, Jan. 14.—Captain "Happy" Day, blond leader of the Toronto Maple Leafs, made it a happy night for Toronto hockey fans tonight when he scored three goals and piloted his team to a 6-1 victory over the New York Rangers.

Day led Toronto's whirlwind attack in the first period and twice bulged the twine behind Goalie Chabot, of the Rangers. His third tally came in the second period on a brilliant individual effort. Rangers were far from the team which opened the season with a win here over the Maple Leafs in November, and Toronto have strengthened since then. Sailor Herberts, $17,500 prize package the Leafs recently bought from Boston, scored two of the Leafs' goals and Cox got the other. Johnson was credited with the Rangers' only tally.

FRANK FREDERICKSON

Former star Victoria Cougar now performing with the Boston Bruins, who helped keep his team at the top of the American section of the N.H.L. by scoring one of their goals in last night's 4-2 win over Ottawa.

LINE-UP

Rangers		Toronto
Chabot	Goal	Roach
Callaghen	Defence	Duncan
Johnson	Defence	Day
Boucher	Centre	Carson
Bun Cook	Wing	Bailey
Bill Cook	Wing	Lowry
Gray	Sub	Herberts
Murdock	Sub	Cox
Scott	Sub	Roden
Thompson	Sub	Ramsay
Boyd	Sub	

Referee—Mickey Ion, Montreal.

SUMMARY

First period—1, Toronto, Day, 7:01; 2, Toronto, Day, :58.

Second period—3, Toronto, Herberts, 15:45; 4, Toronto, Day, 10:10; 5, Toronto, Day, :54.

Third period—6, Rangers, Johnson, 4:25; 7, Toronto, Herberts, 5:41.

PENALTIES

First period—Duncan (2), Callaghen.

Second period—Duncan.

Third period—Day.

MAROONS GO UP

MONTREAL, Jan. 14.—Montreal Maroons atoned for a recent 4-0 setback from Pittsburgh by defeating the Pittsburgh Pirates by a similar 4-0 count at the Forum here tonight. It was the third straight home victory for the Maroons and combined with Ottawa's loss to Boston, sent the locals into second place in the standing of the Canadian section of the N.H.L. The game was far from brilliant and, for two periods, the 10,000 fans present were given a display of Canada's national game at its worst.

The third session was somewhat better, with the Maroons showing enough real hockey to run in three goals which, combined with one in the first, gave them their margin.

Stewart scored two goals, while Ward and Smith got one apiece.

LINE-UP

Montreal		Pittsburgh
Benedict	Goal	Worters
Munro	Defence	Burke
Dutton	Defence	McCaffery
Stewart	Centre	Milks
H. Smith	Wing	McCurry
Carson	Wing	Darragh
Ward	Sub	Drury
Phillips	Sub	Cotton
Oatman	Sub	White
Touhey	Sub	McKinnon
Walsh	Sub	Smith

Referees—Cooper Smeaton and Alec. Romeril.

SUMMARY

First period—1, Montreal, Stewart, 3:26.

Second period—No score.

Third period—2, Montreal, Ward, 11:16; 3, Montreal, Smith, :45; 4, Montreal, Stewart, 3:36.

PENALTIES

First Period—White.

Second period—Munro, Stewart (2), White, Cotton, Ward.

Third period—Smith (2), Milks (3), Dutton.

BRUINS ON TOP

OTTAWA, Jan. 14.—Staging a last-period rally that netted them a pair of goals, the Boston Bruins trimmed Ottawa Senators, 4-2, in a ruggedly-fought N.H.L. engagement here tonight.

Some 7,000 fans saw their world's champion favorites go down before the hard-shooting attack of the Hub team after the Senators had twice previously rose to deadlock the count when the Bruins had taken the goal lead.

In the first period, when Oliver registered, and in the middle frame, when Fredrickson scored, Hec Kilrea, blond wing for the locals, followed them closely to tie the count with tallies.

But in the final frame the Bruins' sharpshooters went on rampage and Galbraith and Shore netted in rapid succession, to give their team the winning margin.

SUMMARY

First period—1, Boston, Oliver, 9:20; 2, Ottawa, Kilrea from Clancy, 10:05.

Second period—3, Boston, Fredrickson, 3:30; 4, Ottawa, Kilrea, 1:15.

Third period—5, Boston, Galbraith, 10:25; 6, Boston, Shore, 2:10.

PENALTIES

First period—Hitchman, Kilrea.

Second Period — Fredrickson, Shore, Grosvenor, Boucher.

Third period—Shore, Boucher.

Had Game at Heart In Refusing Home

BOBBY JONES

ATLANTA, Jan. 14—Bobby Jones believed amateur golf was in the greatest danger when he refused the gift of $50,000 for a new home that Atlanta friends offered him last December. In a formal letter to those who contributed to the fund, Jones said tonight he considered his action necessary "in the light of criticisms from various sources."

English Champion in Draw With Frenchman

PARIS, Jan. 14—Johnny Cuthbert, featherweight champion of England, and Andre Routis, featherweight champion of France, fought twelve rounds to a draw today.

The scientific Englishman held off the rushes of the Frenchman, and finished fresh, while Routis was exhausted.

Irish to Have Team At Olympic Sports

BELFAST, Ireland, Jan. 14.—J. K. Keane, chairman of the Irish Olympic council, announced today that the council proposes to send a team of seventy to Amsterdam to participate in the 1928 Olympics.

The Free State and Ulster Governments will be asked to furnish the expenses of the team.

TEAMS TO PLAY TWICE WEEKLY

Commercial Hockey League Will Make Change Next Week—Three Fast Games Billed Tomorrow

TYRELL LEADS SHARPSHOOTERS

Starting with the week of January 23, Commercial Hockey League teams will play twice a week at the Willows Ice Palace instead of once. This action was taken by the officials in order to get the league finished in good time and prepare for the play-offs.

With the first half of the schedule nearing completion, the teams are all fighting hard in an effort to get into the play-offs. Three fast games are billed for tomorrow night as follows:

7.30 p.m., Bapcos vs. United Commercial Travelers.

8:30 p.m., Plimley & Ritchie vs. Garrison.

9:30 p.m., International Engineering Schools vs. Rink Rats.

TYRELL TOPS SCORES

Tyrell, of the Plimley & Ritchie squad, is leading the sharpshooters, followed by Symons, of the Rink Rats, Unwin, of the Bapcos, and Green, of the I.E.S.

Green tops the penalty column with Locke, of Plimley & Ritchie, second in order.

The league standing is as follows:

	P.	W.	L.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Rink Rats	7	7	0	31	8	14
Bapcos	7	6	1	21	7	12
U. C. T.	7	3	4	18	23	6
I. E. S.	7	3	4	11	21	6
Plimley & Ritchie	7	2	5	21	24	4
Garrison	7	0	7	12	31	0

Tomorrow's line-ups are announced as follows:

Bapcos — Westindale, McKenzie, Woods, Balcolm, Lawson, Bleasdale, Unwin, McPhee and Pendray.

United Commercial Travelers — Hunter, Wilson, Watson, Nicol, Radford, Newcombe, Lambert, Hicks and Gellings.

Plimley & Ritchie—Bacon, Russell, Smith, Davies, Tyrell, Mercer, Savannah, Davidson and Cameron.

International Engineer School — Massey, McKay, Green, Bayliss, Murray, Middleton, Simpson, Givens and Landa.

Garrison—Allan, Parsons, Malone, Charters, Vyse, Conroy, Martin and Langlois.

Rink Rats—Symons, Pomeroy, Benwell, Griffin, Bates, Smart, Symons and Spouse.

The Guiding Hand of The Victoria Team

JOCKO ANDERSON

Coach of Victoria's flashy ice hockey team, who deserves great credit for the way he is handling the boys. Jocko is giving valuable time in trying to better the brand of hockey played in this city, and it looks as if his efforts are not being wasted. Jocko was as happy as a schoolboy after Friday night's display when the locals beat the Monarchs 4-2, and was the recipient of many words of praise. Next Friday the Capitals will battle Vancouver Towers here.

ONE-SIDED WINS ARE REGISTERED

Brentwood College Defeat Wanderers, 19-5, While University School Whitewash Scottish, 33-0

The Brentwood College fifteen defeated the Oak Bay Wanderers in an intermediate Rugby fixture at the High School grounds yesterday afternoon by a 19-5 score.

Ten minutes after the start Brentwood scored on a free kick and shortly afterwards the Wanderers scored their only try, from a forward rush. Starting at midfield, Senkler carried the ball over the line, and Symons converted for the extra points. Shortly before the interval, Appleton, Brentwood's fast three-quarter, broke away and scored their first try. The kick for extra points failed.

The college lads took the offensive at the start of the second half, and two minutes after the whistle Matthews scored on a beautiful three-quarter run. Appleton converted. Matthews gained his second try about five minutes later. It was a beautiful play, in which all Brentwood's three quarters handled the ball. Appleton again converted. Nixon scored Brentwood's final try after a twenty-yard run and Appleton failed to convert.

Doherty, Matthews and Furber played well for the winners, while Harrison, Eagle and Laundy were the Wanderers' stars. The line-ups were as follows:

Wanderers—McConnan, Radford, Dickinson, Newell, Eagle, Laundy, Symons, Barclay, King, Pease, Senkler, Cooper, Sherwood, Dunn and Harrison.

Brentwood College—Mitchell, Nixon, Appleton, Pugh, Matthews, Doherty, Cooper, Ferris, Field, Martin, Symons, Green, Furber, Dee and Cameron.

UNIVERSITY WIN EASILY

In a very one-sided match played at Mount Tolmie, the University accounted for the 16th Scottish by a score of 33-0. The game was very much in the hands of University throughout. Most of the scoring was done in the second half, the count being 9-0 at half time.

Scottish took the kick-off, and for some time play was in centre field. The first try was scored by Gardner, wing three-quarter, after a neat run. The kick at goal failed. Gardner added another three points following a penalty kick. Several times the School forwards proved dangerous, but fumbling prevented a score. Following a neat run by Skillings, Tye crossed the line accounting for the last try in the first half.

In the second half, LeMarquand crossed the line following a three-quarter run. This was converted by Heap. Following a combination of both forwards and three-quarters, Wenman went through for a try, which was converted by Heap. Clarke scored the next from a line-out near the five-yard line. Tye scored again on a pass from Skillines. This was not converted, the ball hitting the bar. Shortly after, on a pass from LeMarquand, Wenman scored again. This was converted. In the last few minutes of the game LeMarquand went over for the final try. The kick at goal failed.

The line-ups were:

University—Heap, Gardner, Skillings, LeMarquand, Singleton, Tye, Taylor, Hammond, Clarke, Begg, McLeod, Walton, Wenman, Schmidt and Peard.

Scottish — Graham, Kinsman, Davis, Young, Knight, Beck, Gann, Tye, Turgoose, Ford, Baker, Healy, Sturrock, Hobson and Killick.

MEHLHORN ON TOP IN LONG BEACH GOLF

Gains Two-Stroke Lead on Field by Turning In Sparkling Card of 68 for 138 Total

GEORGE VON ELM IN SECOND PLACE

Macdonald Smith in Tie for Third Place With Four Others With Total of 144 for Two Rounds

LONG BEACH, Cal., Jan. 14.—"Wild Bill" Mehlhorn, of the Wilkinsburg Country Club, Wilkinsburg, Pa., today had a two-stroke lead over the National field contesting in the $2,500 Long Beach tournament, when he completed his thirty-six holes of qualifying play with a total card of 138 strokes. His card for today's round was 68, three strokes below par of the Long Beach municipal course. Others of the field played today over the Virginia Country Club course.

George Von Elm, of Los Angeles, finished qualifying play still in the runner-up position. His card of 71 today gave him an aggregate of 140 to carry into the thirty-six-hole final.

Macdonald Smith, distinguished Long Island, N.Y., stylist, winner of the recent Verdes and Los Angeles open tournament, finished his qualifying play with 144 strokes, in a tie with four others. His individual rounds for the two-days' play were 72, 72.

The others were Billy Burke, youthful Rochester, N.Y., linksman, 71, 73; Tommy Armour, of Washington, D.C., National open champion, 73, 71; Dick Linares, Long Beach flash, 71, 73, and Horton Smith, Joplin, Mo., 71, 73.

BANNISTER WELL UP

Five other nationally known members of the clan occupied positions in the 145 division. Al Watrous, noted Grand Rapids, Mich., pro., had a 74 and 71; Willie Hunter, of Los Angeles, California open champion, 72, 73; Frank Walsh, Appleton, Wis., 72, 73; G. D. Paulson, Fort Wayne, Ind., 76, 69; and Eric Bannister, Winnipeg, 73, 72.

Ed. Dudley, Hollywood, had a 72 and a 74 for a total of 146, while Bobby Cruickshank, wee New Yorker, had a total of 148, a 75 and a 73. Angel de la Torre, of New York, with 75, 74; Emmitt Killian, Colorado Springs, Colo., 75, 74; and Ernest Penfold, Minneapolis, with 74, 75. Each had 149's.

Johnny Rogers, of Denver, Colo., played better golf today, clipping two strokes from his yesterday's card for a 74 and an aggregate of 150. With the 151's were Abe Espinosa, of Chicago, with 75, 76, and Jack Guild, of Jacksonville, Ind., with 78 and 73. Bill Batsie, of Omaha, required a 79 today, which with his card of 73 yesterday gave him a 152, one stroke better than the total of Harry Winder, of Riverside, Cal., who had an 82 and a 71. The thirty-six-hole championship flight will be played over the Virginia Country Club course tomorrow with the low 64 scores and ties at the end of today's play contesting.

16th Scottish Down United Services to Win First of Series

Score Eleven to Nothing Victory and Win Right to Enter Play-Offs for Senior City Rugby Championship—Winners in Great Finish

The 16th Canadian Scottish had their colors hoisted to the championship of the first half of the senior Rugby series yesterday afternoon, at Cranmore Road grounds, when they defeated the United Services 11 to 0, before a good crowd of spectators.

Scottish proved to be the superior team, but the combined forces fought all the way and gave the militia representatives some close calls. In the first half the Services had quite an edge but failed to break through for a score, while the 16th registered three points as the result of a splendid penalty drop kick by Campbell Forbes.

For twenty minutes of the second half the war was waged evenly, but towards the end the militiamen's better condition began to tell on the regulars, and two tries were scored, one of which was converted.

Play for the first five minutes centred in midfield, but a free kick, which was taken by Ken Adams, put the forces on the Scottish line. Twice the Services brought their threes into action, but heavy tackling stopped them short of their objective. Holmes came close to dropping a field goal, but the ball swerved a little wide. Points were tried for from two penalty kicks, but both failed.

Following a forward rush, 16th took up the attack and had the Services fighting close to their line. Turgoose, on the most dangerous run, was pushed into touch near the corner flag.

FORBES SCORES

The lone score of this half resulted from a penalty kick for an offside. Campbell Forbes took the kick, which was on the twenty-five line, and from a difficult angle sent the ball through the uprights. It was one of the finest kicks seen in Rugby for some time.

About three minutes after the second half started, Bob Travis, skipper of the Scottish, had to be taken from the field with a twisted knee and the militiamen played one man short during the remainder of the game. For some time the Services pressed and three penalty kicks were awarded. Place kicks were tried at the goal, but each failed. Adams made a spectacular run, when he pulled the "dummy" to get through, but the fleet Tony Farrar brought him to earth with a flying tackle.

HENDERSON GETS TRY

From that time on, Scottish had the edge and Larry Henderson footed his way through for a try, after taking a high kick on the three-quarter line. Campbell Forbes failed to convert. Holmes, on the combined forces' threes, in attempting to stop Henderson, collided with the goal posts and was forced out of the game. Inquiries made last night were to the effect that he had not sustained serious injury.

About a minute before the whistle Farrar scored on a long three-quarter run, which was well engineered. Forbes put the lid on the point-gathering by placing a beautiful kick between the posts.

For the winners, Henderson, Farrar, Turgoose and Campbell Forbes played fine games, while Adams, McDougall, Parker and Roy were the pick of the losers. Captain Levien refereed and the teams were:

16th Scottish—Nichol, Turgoose, Horne, Travis, Farrar, Quinn, Pollard, Graham, Godwin, Wilson, McGiverin, Girling, Travis, Forbes and Harrison.

United Services—Middleton, Putman, Roy, Holmes, McIntosh, Adams, Parker, Creery, Hall, Unwin, McDougall, Barker, Lee, Lewis and Austin.

FLOURMEN TAKE ODD GAME FROM JAMES ISLAND

Five Roses Flour trundlers, present leaders of the City Bowling League, took the odd game from James Island last night at the Arcade Alleys. The powdermen opened up strong in the first game, but slipped in the next two.

E. Rivers, of the Islanders, carried off high individual and high aggregate honors with 195 and 502, respectively.

Scores follow:

JAMES ISLAND

J. Ford	138	170	181—	489
E. Rivers	195	141	166—	502
W. Rivers	150	148	147—	454
R. H. Lyons	171	143	160—	474
W. S. Thatcher	138	123	117—	378
	801	735	771—	2307

FIVE ROSES FLOUR

C. Baker	158	175	156—	489
I. Malcolm	179	163	155—	497
B. Fuegle	150	167	183—	500
F. Handley	158	153	185—	496
A. Falk	143	155	170—	468
	788	813	819—	2420

Carpet Bowlers to Hold Social Event

Victoria West Brotherhood carpet bowlers will hold a progressive five hundred drive, to be followed by a dance, tomorrow night at Stanley Hall.

Sarazen's Grip Ideas Place Him to Fore

By SOL METZGER

Five years ago Gene Sarazen astonished the golf world by winning the U.S. open at Skokie from a fine field. Few knew of him before that. Now he is one of the best known and most feared competitors. He uses an odd grip, the interlocking, which he recommends only to golfers with long fingers and a strong grip, and then only for long shots. Gene thinks that for short shots the overlapping grip provides a better and more delicate sense of touch, while helping the hands to work more in unison.

A point he makes a good deal of is the placing of the left thumb. He has small hands and for that reason he places his left thumb outside the shaft. Golfers with large hands should place the left thumb down the shaft and under the palm of the right hand, says Sarazen. The idea is for each to gain the maximum power out of his grip.

Gene also uses a tapered grip on his clubs so he can get the fingers of his hands around the shaft, rather than the palms. Tuesday I will show how Sarazen changed his grip in order to get more speed into the clubhead at contact.

U.S.L.T.A. TO HELP PRO GAME

Association Believes Professional Element Will Help to Encourage Interest in Sport

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—The United States Lawn Tennis Association is prepared to extend the olive branch to professional elements of the game and "encourage the growth" of the newly-organized Professional Lawn Tennis Association.

This was disclosed Friday in announcement of resolutions proposed by the amature rule committee for adoption of the annual meeting of the U.S.L.T.A., in Chicago February 11.

Citing the purpose of the professional organization and its close contact with younger players through tennis instructors, the U.S.L.T.A. proposes this definition of its policy:

"That it is the sense of the United States Lawn Tennis Association that the game of lawn tennis will be benefited and the influence of professional players with the younger amateurs will be bettered by the development and improvement of standards of instruction and play among the professionals, and by the maintenance of that part of a high standard of ethics, conduct and sportsmanship and that the U.S.L.T.A., to accomplish these ends, should foster and encourage the continuance and growth of the Professional Lawn Tennis Association of the United States along sound and constructive lines."

This represents a sharp reversal of the attitude of the U.S.L.T.A., which has refused to have anything to do with the professional game since it was pushed into the limelight by C. C. Pyle's traveling troupe, attracting such stars from amateur ranks as Suzanne Lenglen, Mary K. Brown, Vincent Richards and Howard Kinsey. Richards and Kinsey are members of the new professional organization.

James Bay Juveniles Defeat Royal Oak, 1-0

A fine goal by Gelling in the second half gave James Bay juveniles a 1-0 victory over Royal Oak at Beacon Hill yesterday. The fans had gathered to witness Esquimalt and Victoria senior aggregations in action, but when the game failed to materialize the youngsters filled the programme.

The teams were:

James Bay—Hood, Davey, Margison, Brown, Terry, Lorimer, Woodley, Gelling, Gibson, R. Brown and Smith.

Royal Oak—Cobley, P. Blanco, Halket, G. Robbins, Viggers, Scrutor, W. Robbins, Pye, Thorpe, A. Blanco and Moore.

REP RUGGERS TO PLAY VANCOUVER NEXT SATURDAY

Victoria's "rep" Rugby team will journey to Vancouver next Saturday to meet the Vancouver "rep" squad in the second McKechnie Cup match. Work-outs will be held at the Armories on Tuesday and Thursday at 8 p.m. and all players are asked to attend.

Duncan Team Wins

DUNCAN, Jan. 14.—Duncan "A" badminton team vanquished Victoria "A" tonight, 9-4, in an interclub match.

Hill Waited Years for Big Chance in Majors

Proved Himself One of Best Pitchers in Game When Opportunity Came—Pittsburgh Hurler Is Splendid Type of Man

Back in 1915 a lawyer of Corey, Pa., was so impressed by the work of a kid pitcher on the high school nine of that town that he told his friend, Fred Clark, about him. The pitcher's name was Carmen Hill. He was signed by the Pirates in March of that year and farmed out to Youngstown, Ohio, for the Summer.

Recalled in the Fall, he pitched forty-five innings and allowed the enemy but one run. And yet the snows of twelve Winters were to fall on Forbes Field and be melted by as many returning Springs before this boy was to take his regular turn in the pitcher's box for the Pirate team. And when his turn did come he used it so well that he won twenty-two and lost eleven games in his first big league year.

It is to be doubted if any big league ball player of all time, not excepting Kremer, Boley, Bentley, Wilcey Moore, or any of the long-term slaves of the minors, worked and waited as long as did Carmen Hill for his chance. The Pirates kept him on the farm for four years, and in 1919 he rebelled. He felt like a bound boy at a husking. If he was to go back to the farm again it would be as a free agent or he would quit baseball. So after serving his term as a farm hand at Rochester in 1916, at Birmingham in 1917 and at Kansas City in 1918 with a Pirate string attached he became minor league property.

HAD GREAT YEAR

The ex-high school star had a great year at Birmingham in 1917, when he won twenty-seven and lost twelve games in the Southern League, but even this did not bring his big league berth any closer. During the war year he returned to his Pennsylvania home with a sore arm. It was a mighty bad arm. So bad that Bonesetter Reese would not undertake a cure. Hill, like Vance, had to resort to the doctor in his own country town, and there was cured.

Hill's story of how his arm was cured is as interesting as that of Dazzy Vance. In Hill's home town there was a station agent who dabbled with osteopath methods with miraculous results. He cured hopeless cases of crippled arms and legs that limped from far distances to feel his healing touch. This station agent cured the visitors and sold them tickets to their homes. He laid his hands on Hill's wounded wing one day and the pitcher was himself again. Hill is in deep and deadly earnest when he tells about that station agent man with the miracle touch in his fingers.

GETS TRIAL WITH GIANTS

But no sooner was his arm healed than Hill was stricken down with a bad attack of stomach trouble. He was out of the game during most of 1920. That was the year he refused to report and was suspended. He pitched for Saneville of the Outlaw League in 1920 and 1921. He was reinstated the next year and became the property of Indianapolis, where his work won him a trial by John McGraw.

He reported to the Giants in the Fall of 1922, but he evidently failed to impress the old master of baseball men, for he was sent back to the Wabash, and there it seemed that he was doomed to remain for evermore.

Five years did Hill pitch for the Hoosiers, and then in the Fall of 1926 Dreyfuss bought back his cast-off pitcher of 1915 for $40,000 and two players. And he made a great buy, for Hill, the veteran minor leaguer, pitched the Pirates to a pennant with his twenty-two sterling victories during the season just passed. He ranked eighth in effectiveness with an earned run record of .324, and he took part in forty-three games, only Root and Jack Scott appearing more often than Hill on the pitching hill.

SPLENDID TYPE OF MAN

A splendid type of man is Carmen Hill. Serious almost to that point

CARMEN HILL

where he might be termed sombre, reserved and even aloof to strangers, yet if one penetrates that reserve and wins his confidence, he finds a deep, strong, earnest, admirable character. Life has been a battle to Carmen Hill. Up hill all the way and most of the time against odds. The tragic death of his little son some years ago brought that brooding look to his dark eyes.

Hill was only nineteen when he left high school at the lure of the Pirate chief. His baseball record reads like a romance. No pitcher in the majors had much of an edge on this veteran rookie of last year when he finally did arrive after his twelve-year journey. Wide, sweeping curves, lots of speed, a baffling delivery and a cool head and a game heart and a steel arm, he worked in over forty games and brought that aid to the Pirate staff that was necessary to win the flag. He was beaten in his world series game, but not disgraced. Let them say what they will, it was not poor pitching that cost the Pirates the series in four straight games. Kremer, Hill and Miljus all pitched with great effectiveness against the hard-hitting Yankee team.

Hill makes Indianapolis his home now. Asked what he does in the Winter, he replied: "That is the trouble. No job in the Winter. It is hard for a ball player to get a regular job that is worth while in the short off season. Every player ought to master two professions."

"Where did you get that name, 'Carmen?'"

"My mother got it out of a book," replied the Pirate pitching star.

LONDON TYPISTS TO ATTEMPT SWIM FROM OTHER SIDE

TANGIER, Morocco, Jan. 14.—Balked in the attempt to swim the Straits of Gibraltar from Morocco, Miss Mercedes Gleitz and Miss Millie Hudson, London typists, have gone to Tarifa, Spain. From there they will try the twenty-seven-mile swim in the reverse direction.

Miss Gleitz said that experts told her that by starting from Spain she would be in a better position to overcome the treacherous currents which frustrated her last attempt.

Reggie McNamara Breaks Collarbone

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—A broken collarbone put Reggie McNamara, iron man of the six-day bicycle riders, out of Chicago's nineteenth international six-day bike race about 3 a.m. today. The Australian went down in a spill with Larry Gaffney who escaped unhurt.

Lands and Vannek, the Holland-American team, who took the lead Thursday night, continued to set the pace at 6 o'clock this morning for a field reduced to ten entries.

Stocks Help Stallings Make Names

By AL DEMAREE

(Former Pitcher New York Giants)

George Stallings, former Miracle Man manager of the Boston Braves, was a miracle man in the art of epithet. After the victorious World Series of 1914, all the Braves bought automobiles. The next Summer George used the name of the automobile each player had bought as a prefix to the epithets he was eternally hurling at his men during the game.

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C. Lonsdon	144	139	114
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Cadet-Captain G. Parrott, of South Park School, and L.-Cpl. A. Perry, of George Jay Platoon, with 97, led the marksmen at the weekly shoot of the 112th Cadet Battalion held last week. The new style bull's-eye, with the semicircular aiming mark was used. This seemed to trouble some of the younger shots.

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Canadian Champ Wins

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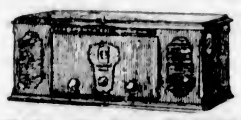
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Nanaimo Bowling

NANAIMO, Jan. 14.—In a bowling fixture played last evening on the Nanaimo Alleys, the Nanaimo Lumber Co. took the odd point from the B. & K.-Malkin-Pearson team. E. Williams was high man with 186 pins and also high average with 160. The scores follow:

B. & K.-M. & P.			
C. McArthur	167	150	138
C. Longdon	144	139	114
G. Brown	80	113	138
H. Beal	123	160	172
G. Waugh	144	160	170
Totals	667	662	732
NANAIMO LUMBER CO.			
C. Swanson	134	154	180
J. Thompson	172	157	140
E. Fox	88	147	199
W. Green	164	147	127
E. Williams	156	186	141
Totals	716	791	714

Parrott and Perry Lead Cadet Shots

Cadet-Captain G. Parrott, of South Park School, and L.-Cpl. A. Perry, of George Jay Platoon, with 97, led the marksmen at the weekly shoot of the 112th Cadet Battalion held last week. The new style bull's-eye, with the semicircular aiming mark was used. This seemed to trouble some of the younger shots.

SOUTH PARK PLATOON	
Capt. G. Parrott	97
GEORGE JAY PLATOON	
L.-Cpl. A. Perry	97
OAKLANDS PLATOON	
Lt. W. Murray	98
Lt. A. C. N. Smith	95
Cadt. B. Armstrong	90
SAANICH PLATOON	
Lieut. D. Robertson	91
L.-Cpl. D. Boyd	88
Cdt. C. Whitehouse	87
Cdt. B. Leaky	86
Cdt. Y. Stokes	78
Cdt. J. Harvey	85
Cdt. F. Waring	50
OTHER PLATOONS	
Cpl. F. Booker	95
Cdt. J. Strang	94
Cdt. J. Pearson	92

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WEST ROAD LADIES LOSE, SENIORS AND INTERMEDIATES WIN

BRENTWOOD, Jan. 14.—Three games took place Friday evening in the West Road Hall between the local teams and visitors from Victoria, the visiting ladies winning the first game 26-14. The locals won the next two games, the intermediates winning from Centennial, 23-31, and the Seniors from Hillcrest, 20-26. Following were the line-ups:

Harmony Ladies—Foubister, Hall, G. Godwin, Straith, Matthews, A. Wood.

West Road Ladies—T. Clarke, A. Rice, B. Handy, D. Handy, May Peden, Mary Peden, F. Hamilton.

Centennials—W. Jones, Peden, Rogers, Bird, Menzies.

West Road—C. Butler, H. Buckle, N. Davies, N. Andrew, P. Lannan.

Hillcrests—Wright, Butler, Davies, Hills and Bill Passmore.

West Road—G. Lanna, M. Tubman, P. Lanna, R. Bagley, M. Lennan and C. Sluggett.

Canadian Champ Wins

HAMILTON, Ont., Jan. 14.—Jack Johnston, Canadian bantamweight champion, knocked out Bobby Dempsey, Boston bantamweight, in the first round last night.

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Ray Huffman Is Given Decision Over Storch

Sound City Boxer Scores Clean Victory in Main Event of Charity Boxing Programme—Good Crowd Witnesses Card

Ray Huffman, amateur light-heavyweight champion of Seattle, was awarded the judges' decision over Charlie Storch in the main event of a charity boxing card, presented at the Tillicum Athletic Club gymnasium last night. The boy from the Sound City displayed clever footwork, two-fisted hitting ability and ringcraft seldom seen in the Simon-pure class.

Nine good supporting bouts afforded the fans an opportunity to witness a good card. It was announced last night that another card will be presented next Saturday. Efforts will be made to bring over four Seattle boys.

Huffman waltzed around for a few seconds before mixing. Storch went into him, only to be repelled with a terrific left. After finding his opponent the visitor outboxed him, and at the end of the first round had piled up a good lead. Storch realized that his only hope rested in fighting his clever opponent. He fought gamely against a more experienced and more finished boxer, and about midway through this round bumped into a left jab to the nose which did plenty of damage. Storch got in one or two good blows, but he was taking plenty of punishment.

STORCH WEARY

In the last round the local lad clinched consistently and appeared leg weary. Huffman landed a number of lefts to the face and kidneys and was trying for the sleep producer, but Storch battled gamely until the sounding of the bell.

Displaying a wicked right with a T.N.T. punch, Harold Bailey fought his way to the judges' decision over Cliff Dawley. The boys mixed furiously in the first round.

The Pastro-Hudson bout terminated somewhat suddenly in the first round when the latter boy, after stepping into a right, fell through the ropes and was rendered unconscious. The referee awarded the bout to Pastro, much to the dissatisfaction of the patrons.

Clarence Leask scored a technical K.O. over Arthur Coates in the second round of a scheduled three-round bout. The winner carried the fight to his opponent.

Jack Proby was given the judges' decision over Herbert Sutton in three fast rounds.

BOUT IS STOPPED

Referee McKay stopped the Shouldice-Kirkham bout in the second round, after the former had used his Lake Hill opponent as a punching bag.

Bruce Low, of Victoria College, won on a foul in the second round from Tim Keist, after the latter had piled up a big lead. The decision, however, proved unpopular with the fans.

In three tame rounds C. Milton, of Lake Hill, was given the referee's decision over Tommy Drysdale.

Displaying a powerful left, De Costa was awarded the judges' decision over Allan Richer. The boys spent a greater share of the time waltzing around the ring.

G. Sharpe's second threw the towel in the ring in the second round of the bout with Frank Hall, of Victoria College.

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CUP HOLDERS NET WIN OVER SEAPORT XI

Cardiff City Given Hard Battle in English Cup Match — Everton Eleven Scores Victory

HUDDERSFIELD'S LOSS SURPRISE

Decisive Defeat at Hands of Blackburn Rovers Feature of Round—Chelsea Eliminated From Play

LONDON, Jan. 14.—Results in the third round of the competition proper of the English Football Association Cup games, came out about as expected. The cupholders, Cardiff City, won out by a narrow margin against Southampton, while other winners who probably will go a long way further in the competition, with reasonable luck, were Everton, Huddersfield Town, Leicester City, Arsenal, Derby County and Blackburn Rovers. Everything depends on the way the big clubs be drawn Monday for the next round. The decisive victory of Blackburn Rovers over Huddersfield Town was a feature of the round. The two amateur teams, London Caledonians and Corinthians, were both eliminated, as was Chelsea, one time leader of the Second Division of the English league, but now faltering badly.

THE SCORERS

The scorers in the games today were:

Middlesbrough, first half, Peacock (twice), Camsell; South Shields, nil; second half, no score.

Rotherham, first half, Scott from penalty, and Hewingway; Exeter City, Jackson, through his own goal; Rotherham, second half, Scott; Exeter City, Vaughan and Mason.

Crewe Alexandra, first half, Owen (twice), Shaw; Caledonians, Noble; Caledonians, second half, Hamilton.

Hull City, first half, no score; Leicester, second half, Barry.

Liverpool, first half, no score; Liverpool, second half, Chalmers; Darlington, nil.

Huddersfield, first half, Brown, Smith, Goodall (from penalty); Lincoln City, Pringle; Huddersfield, second half, Steele; Lincoln, Dinsdale.

Southport, first half, Horler, through own goal; Fulham, nil; Southport, second half, Tair (twice); Fulham, nil.

Notts Forest, first half, no score; Notts Forest, second half, Wedsworth; Tranmere, nil.

Oldham, first half, Kings; Blackpool, nil; Oldham, second half, Watson (twice) and Stanton; Blackpool, Neal.

Manchester United, first half, Hanson (three), Spencer, Anderson and Johnson; Brentford, Jones, through own goal; Manchester, second half, Hanson; Brentford, nil.

Stoke City, first half, Wilson, Williamson and Archibald; Gillingham, Wilcox, second, half, Wilson, Bussy and Davies.

Cardiff City, first half, Len Davies; Southampton, Rawlings; Cardiff, second half, Brain.

Arsenal, second half, Bran; West Bromwich, nil.

Bury, first half, Ball; Charlton, second half, Biswell.

Wrexham, first half, Gunson and Langmuir; Swansea, second half, Hole.

The Wednesday, first half, Seed; The Wednesday, second half, Harper (twice); Bournemouth, no score.

Tottenham, first half, O'Callaghan and Osborne; Bristol City, second half, Martin.

Everton, first half, Ward, through own goal, and Dean; Preston, second half, Irving.

Port Vale, second half, Simms, Haddock and Page; Barnsley, no score.

Millwall, first half, Cook; Derby, Stephenson; Derby, second half, Bedford.

Sheffield, first half, Johnson; Sheffield, second half, Tunstall and Johnson; Notts C[illegible] Taylor and Mills.

Luton, first half, Reid; Bolton, second half, Round and Smith.

Birmingham, first half, Davies; Peterborough, Bruton (twice), McGuigan; Birmingham, second half, Bradford (three).

New Brighton, first half, Whittier; Corinthians, Hartley; New Brighton, second half, Whittier.

Sunderland, first half, Wright, Hargraves and Halliday; Northampton, Daly and Cowen; Northampton, second half, Wells.

Manchester City, second half, Johnson; Leeds, no score.

Blackburn, first half, Puddicombe; Blackburn, second half, Mitchell (twice) and Thornwell; Newcastle, Seymour.

Swindon, first half, Morris; Swindon, second half, Morris; Clapton, Whipp.

Portsmouth, no score; West Ham, second half, Gibbons and Ruffel.

Reading, second half, Richardson (twice), Batten and McDonald; Grimsby, no score.

Aston Villa, second half, Walker and Beresford; Burnley, no score.

Wolverhampton, first half, Phillipson; Chelsea, Brown; Wolverhampton, second half, Baxter; Chelsea, nil.

LONDON, Jan. 14.—Games in the third round of the English Football Association Cup series today resulted as follows:

Middlesbrough 3, South Shields 0.
Rotherham United 3, Exeter C., 3.
London Caledonians 2, Crewe Alexandra 3.
Hull City 0, Leicester 1.
Liverpool 1, Darlington 0.
Huddersfield 3, Lincoln City 2.
Southport 3, Fulham 0.
Notts Forest 1, Tranmere Rovers 0.
Blackpool 1, Oldham 4.
Manchester United 7, Brentford 1.
Stoke City 6, Gillingham 1.
Cardiff 2, Southampton 1.
Arsenal 2, West Bromwich 0.
Charlton 1, Bury 1.
Wrexham 2, Swansea 1.
The Wednesday 3, Bournemouth 0.
Bristol City 1, Tottenham 2.
Preston 0, Everton 3.
Millwall 1, Derby 2.
Notts County 2, Sheffield 3.
Bolton 2, Luton 1.
Birmingham 4, Peterboro and Fletton 3.
New Brighton 2, Corinthians 1.
Sunderland 3, Northampton 3
Manchester City 1, Leeds United 0.
Blackburn Rovers 4, Newcastle 1.
Swindon Town 2, Clapton 1.
Portsmouth 0, West Ham United 2.
Reading 4, Grimsby 0.
Burnley 0, Aston Villa 2.
Wolverhampton 2, Chelsea 1.

ENGLISH LEAGUE

Third Division—Northern Section

Ashington 5, Rochdale 1.
Bradford City 4, Durham 0.
Chesterfield 3, Accrington 1.
Doncaster 4, Barrow 0.
Hartlepool 1, Bradford 1.
Halifax 5, Nelson 1.
Wigan 1, Stockport 3.

Southern Section

Coventry 5, Torquay 1.
Merthyr 1, Plymouth 4.
Newport 2, Norwich 2.
Queen's Park Rangers 3, Southend United 2.
Walsall 1, Crystal Palace 1.
Watford 3, Brighton and Hove 3.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

First Division

Aberdeen 6, Clyde 0.
Airdrie 2, Rangers 7.
Bo'ness 2, Hibernians 1.
Celtic 9, Dunfermline 0.
Cowdenbeath 3, Hamilton 1.
Hearts 4, Queen's Park 2.
Motherwell 3, Kilmarnock 3.
Partick 5, Raith Rovers 0.
St. Johnstone 5, Dundee 1.
St. Mirren 3, Falkirk 2.

Second Division

Arbroath 1, Clydebank 3.
Armadale 1, King's Park 1.
Ayr United 7, Bathgate 2.
Dumbarton 0, Albion 1.
Dundee United 9, Arthurlie 2.
East Fife 4, Forfar 3.
East Stirling 2, Morton 2.
Leith 3, Queen of South 1.
Stenhousemuir 2, St. Bernard 0.
Third Lanark 5, Alloa 0.

RUGBY LEAGUE

Barrow 2, Wigan Highfield 2.
Bradford Northern 6, Keighley 0.
Broughton Rovers 5, Rochdale 7.
Dewsbury 21, Bramley 8.
Featherstone 6, Hunslet 4.
Hull 4, Batley 0.
Leeds 7, Halifax 0.
Oldham 5, Warrington 2.
Pontypridd-St. Helens, unplayed.
St. Helens Rec 17, Wakefield 0.
Swinton 10, Hull Kingston 0.
Widnes , Salford 5.
Wigan 11, Leigh 0.

RUGBY UNION

The Rugby Union County Championship games today resulted as follows:

Somerset 61, Devon 4.
Lancashire 15, Northumberland 3.
Cumberland 4, Yorkshire 10.
Guy's Hospital 15, Birkenhead Park 8.
Harlequins 11, Blackheath 16.
London Scottish 0, Old Merchant Taylors 14.
St. Bart's 8, Bradford 3.
Bristol 22, Army 6.
Cardiff 9, Bath 5.
Gloucester 6, Leicester 3.
Llanelly 16, Swansea 8.
Northampton 21, U.C.S. Old Boys 0
Neath 3, Cross Keys 0.
Plymouth Albion 16, Wellington 3.
Penarth 13, Newport 9.
Torquay 9, Devonport Services 3.
Portsmouth Services 8, Richmond 14.
Chatham 3, Rosslyn Park 42.
Glasgow High School 15, Kelvinside 0.
Stewartonians 3, Glasgow Acads. 3.
Watsonians 3, Heriotonians 6.

IRISH CUP GAMES

DUBLIN, Jan. 14.—The second round of the Irish Football Association Cup was played today, with the following results:

Celtic 2, Cliftonville 1
Willowfield 4, Barn 2.
Larne 2, Distillery 0
Portadown 2, Colerain 1.

Games in the Irish League today resulted as follows:

Ards 1, Linfield 1.
Queen's Island , Glentoran 14

Her Three Boys Had Terrible Colds That Hung On

Mrs. G. Ames, 35 St. George St., Chatham, Ont., writes: "Last Winter my three boys had terrible colds and a cough that hung on so long that it began to worry me.

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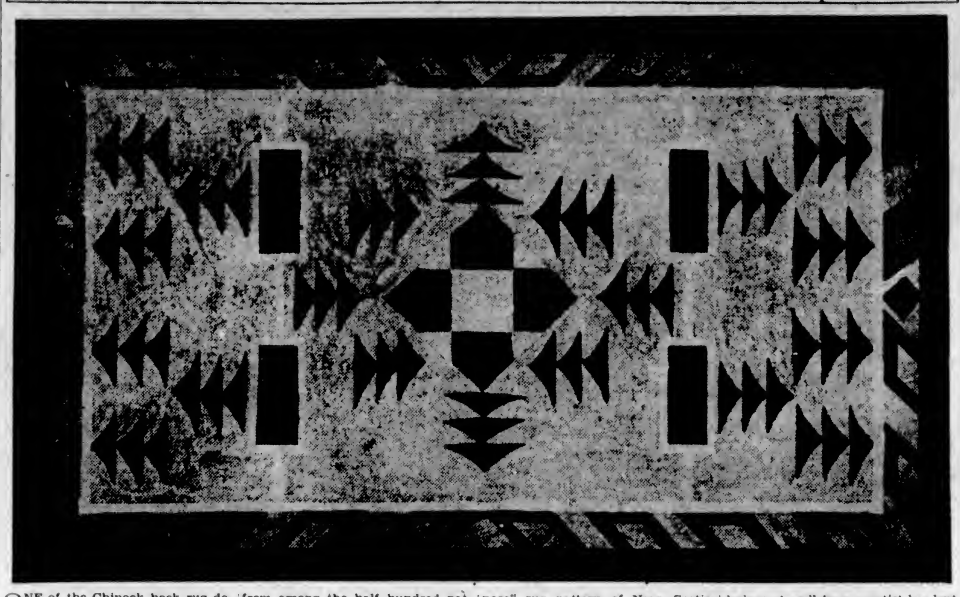

ONE of the Chinook hook-rug designs which has been approved by the Provincial Board of Women's Institutes for dissemination through their committe of industries to any who wish to possess the pattern. The board has been working on this matter for a considerable time, and only last week, following a consultation with Mr. Will Newcombe, son of the well-known Indian authority, the late Dr. Newcombe, selected three from among the half hundred patterns submitted as containing the true elements of Indian design. These designs are being stamped in color on burlap, and burlap and yarn will be sent on request to any of the institutes either in British Columbia or elsewhere throughout the continent on payment of the nominal cost.

Everyone familiar with the handicrafts of Canada knows the "blue-nose" rug pattern of Nova Scotia, but the fact that this is not admitted by the Canadian Handicrafts Guild at any of its exhibitions in Montreal debarred it from consideration by the Women's Institutes industries committee here, so that some time ago they set about establishing their own. All patterns approved by the Provincial Board of Women's Institutes are to be known as Chinook designs. A well-known artist has lent his talent in adapting the drawings to rug design and cutting the stencils for the stamping of the burlap patterns.

All applications for the patterns should be sent to Mrs. M. L. Murray, 514 Province Building, Vancouver, who is secretary of the Women's Institute board of directors.

Seeker After Snow Birds' Title Makes Two Aces Amid Chilly Winter Blasts

M. S. Bowman, of Siwanoy, Gets Hole-in-One Two Years in Succession on 195-Yard Thirteenth Hole at Mount Vernon, N.Y.

By BUNKER

How many golf clubs in the North emulate historic old Siwanoy, of Mount Vernon, N.Y., and play a Snow Birds tournaments?

Siwanoy's first Snow Birds event was staged in December, 1907, so that the tournament has a history of twenty years duration. The one now being played, however, is the nineteenth, for there was no competition in the war year of 1917.

The defending champion is Einar Eriksen, who has been one of the snow birds from the very start. Eriksen's name indicates a racial derivation that would fit him well for Winter golf.

The tournament does not have as many entrants as it once had. Lots of the former enthusiasts now do their Winter golfing in the South. Others do not so cheerfully court sixty-mile winds and occasional six-foot snow drifts now that they have added twenty years of life. Still, the event does not lack would-be qualifiers. Some of the veterans refuse to quit.

Outstanding among the Snow Birds of Siwanoy is Milton S. Bowman, runner-up last Winter and again a seeker of victory this year. Bowman is holder of a unique record.

SOME OF THE VETERANS REFUSE TO QUIT!

In the 1925-26 tournament, playing the thirteenth hole, 195 yards, he used his spoon with such deadly purpose that he got a hole-in-one.

History repeated itself in 1926-27 in his match with Robert Hawe. Again Bowman's spoon shot at the thirteen was good for an ace!

Can any of you match that—making two holes-in-one in tournament competition, in successive years, and in the Winter, with snow and ice on the ground?

The secondary value of that second ace for Bowman lay in the fact that it helped him to tie the Hawe match. They had an eighteen-hole play-off, and Bowman won.

MIRACULOUS RECOVERY

Siwanoy has a long and interesting record. It contributed to golfing history, for instance, by entertaining the first of the Professional Golfers' Association championships in 1916. In connection with this, its members frequently recall one of the most sensational holes ever played in a national championship. Jim Barnes was the hero.

Tommy Kerrigan, Siwanoy professional, who came within an ace of winning the 1921 British open championship, tells me the story of Barnes' performance. As you will see, Tommy had a direct interest in it.

"Barnes and I were opponents along about the fourth round," says Kerrigan. "We were going along at an even gait, with the result in doubt with only a few holes remaining.

"At the fifteenth hole, I got off a drive down the middle, but Barnes put his tee-shot out of bounds. He followed this up by skying his second drive.

"It looked like the break of the match for me. The hole was 450 yards long. Jim had used two shots off the tee and still wasn't up with my ball. He had to make a long brassie shot to the green, and it was doubtful if he could reach it on his third shot. Incidentally he had to carry over a brook which might catch his ball.

"He played a wonderful brassie shot, carrying the brook nicely. However, he still was twenty-five yards short, and when I reached the edge of the green with a mashie iron in two I seemed certain that the hole was mine.

"Jim made a careful study of the ground. Then he holed a chinshot for a four! I immediately proceeded to take three strokes to get down.

"I never figured in such a complete reversal in all my life. I never saw a greater recovery than Jim's, either.

"That come-back was valuable, too. He beat me two up and went on to become the first P.G.A. champion in history."

Kerrigan figured in another incident which has become a part of Siwanoy history. This was last Summer.

He and John Taylor, the present club champion, were having a friendly match. At the 150-yard sixth hole, Kerrigan, having the honor, played first and put a beautiful mashie niblick about eighteen inches from the cup.

"There's something to beat," said Kerrigan.

Taylor's reply was to knock him dizzy with a hole-in-one!

HAS REMARKABLE ROUND

Jess Sweetser holds the record for the first nine holes at Siwanoy with a sensational thirty, but Kerrigan has the record for eighteen holes, with one of the most brilliant rounds in history—a sixty-three. He went out in thirty-one and came back in thirty-two.

Interesting sidelights on this round are that he didn't make a single two; he had ten threes; once he took a four on a par three hole; he had seven birdies and one single.

He missed a two-foot putt on the 352-yard eighth hole for a birdie three. If he had made this putt, and a six-footer on the 535-yard eighteenth, he would have had a sixty-one.

This great score is another proof that there is something more to golf than mere skill and determination. Regarding it, Kerrigan says significantly:

"It was the easiest round I ever shot."

The round also furnishes proof for those who contend that the game is not won on the green but in playing through the green.

"Every shot to the green was right up to the pin," said Tommy.

He spread his arms out.

"Just like that" he said.

M. M. Gardner and Jerry Healey were playing with Kerrigan. They were betting birdies, eagles and everything else and, of course, were nicked heavily. When Tommy had done the first fourteen holes in forty-seven, however, they forgot finances and began to pray for a record. Four threes in a row, starting with the eleventh hole, had waked them up. They waited breathlessly on every shot thereafter, and when Tommy did the last four holes in one under par, and set up his record sixty-three, escorted him to the clubhouse in triumph.

Vancouver May Get Hockey Play-Offs

VANCOUVER, Jan. 14.—Vancouver may get the play-off between Alberta and British Columbia amateur hockey champions in the first round of the Allan Cup series next month, if President Sandercock of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association accedes to the request of the British Columbia Amateur Hockey Association. President Dingman, of the provincial body, has wired the hockey leader suggesting that the series would go over big here. Alberta is due to stage the games this year and it will probably be up to the Alberta association to sanction the change before definite arrange-

Duncan Badminton Team Beats Garrison

The Duncan Badminton Club defeated a visiting Garrison Badminton Club by eight matches to four. Many of the matches were very hard-fought, the mixed and men's doubles particularly.

Cedar Hill Wins

Cedar Hill Badminton Club defeated the Cornwall Club, 16 to 2, in an interclub match played last week.

TO HOLD CARD PARTY

A military 500 tournament will be held Wednesday night at Hampton Hall in aid of the funds of the Saanich Bowling Club. Any player wishing to take part is asked to telephone 7795R.

MILD SURPRISES FEATURE RACING

Sensational Prices at Tijuana Absent Quantity Yesterday—Belle K. Returns Longest Odds

(Special to The Colonist)

TIJUANA RACE TRACK, Jan. 14.—Some mild upsets featured the racing here today, but anything in the way of the sensational prices of the past two days was missing. Belle K. returned $25, the longest odds of the card, in the last event. Results follow:

First race—Six furlongs:
1. Morehead (Stevens) $ 8.60 $ 4.80 $ 3.40
2. Volt (Munden) 4.40 3.20
3. Muriel H. (Rennie) 7.20
Time, 1:14 3-5.

Second race—Clubhouse course
1. Coffield (Rennie) $ 4.20 $ 3.00 $ 2.80
2. Golden Laura (Burke) 3.40 2.20
3. Chilliwack (Peternel) 2.80
Time, 1.37 3-5

Third race—Five and one-half furlongs:
1. Hemlop (Burke) $18.30 $ 6.20 $ 9.20
2. Flitterman (Fiord) 11.60 16.00
3. Applesauce (Rennie) 11.80
Time, 1.08 1-5.

Fourth race—Five and one-half furlongs:
1. Time Exposure (Richardson) $ 3.60 $ 3.00 $ 3.40
2. Lachen (Lindseth) 3.20 3.80
3. Margaret Elnora (Luther) 3.40
Time, 1:07 3-5.

Fifth race—Mile and one-quarter:
1. Be Frank (Munden) $16.60 $ 7.40 $ 5.40
2. Indian Tales (Owen) 5.40 3.60
3. Montdale (Kelly) 4.60
Time, 2:08 4-5

Sixth race—Rio Grande Handicap, mile and one-sixteenth:
1. Margie K. (H. Philpot) $14.20 $ 6.40 $ 3.60
2. Dr. Clark (Luther) 7.20 4.20
3. Minstrel Boy (Jones) 3.60
Time, 1:47 3-5.

Seventh race—Mile and one-quarter:
1. Bardalid (Lindseth) $ 4.60 $ 4.00 $ 3.40
2. Shasta Baily (Chamberlain) 6.00 4.20
3. Chiapas (Inzelone) 4.00
Time, 1:08

Eighth race—Clubhouse course:
1. Duck It (Luther) $ 5.00 $ 3.80 $ 2.40
2. Chicory (Jenner) 3.00 2.00
3. Bonnie Marguerite (Burke) 3.00
Time, 1:37.

Ninth race—Six furlongs:
1. Belle K (Inzelone) $25.00 $13.00 $ 8.00
2. John A. Scott, Jr. (Robertson) 6.00 5.00
3. Lillian L. (Russell) 4.20
Time, 1:13 4-5.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

First race—Six furlongs:
Lime Rock 104
Huguinee 104
Sweet and Low 104
Double Shot 111
Barber Bill 106
Cleos Rochester 106
Wolf Jr. 106
Culaviata 106
High Joy 104
Princess Elma 107
Rock of Ages 107
Senior Marine 101
Assault 104
Warsona 98
Big Heart 115
Tim O'Brien 104
Follow Me 103
Milton 103

Second race—Mile and seventy yards:
Edward S. 106
Hard Dealer 106
Irish Broadler 111
Breech Leader 111
Doctor Blues 108
Gondolier 106
Sonny 103
Conclusive 106
Cirrenna 107
El Cid 108
Tennessee 104
Fort Wayne 104
Count Vista 104
Bawday 104
Wilmer the Wizard 106
Foolish 106
Bardbalid 103
Aircastle 106

Third race—Six furlongs:
Sierras Shot 98
Master Ace 93
Glint o' Gold 106
Sun Class II 106
Maximus 100
Sweep Easy 102
Alma 99
Shasta Buck 113
Lillie Stout 101
St. Tonga 100
Celtial 103
Frank Light 112
Sweesie 99
Flute 113
Marmary 107
Lord Assagal 103
Perpo 103
Hoey Nook 107

Fourth race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Knighthood 115
Vandell 114
Old Kickapoo 107
Shasta Kine 107
Don K. 114
Freedom II. 106
Waimanu 106
Eggnogs 113
Boottop 95
Runolathe 117
Wildflower 98

Fifth race—Clubhouse course
Shasta Negra 110
Crossbow 92
Tamist 104
Mat Hunter 92
Miss Alma 88
Blue Fish 97
Simony 108
Brazen 107
Pegasus 113
Thrace 116
Minister 106
Marietta 105
King Man 96

Sixth race—One mile and seventy yards:
Pegasus 108
Woolridge 105
American Man 85
Rip Rap 115
Crossbow 90
Sandyman 103
Bonnie Omar 105
Cameo 106
Shasta Gold 98
Tamarind 96

Seventh race—One mile
Portolo 104
Rank Jr 112
Timothy 109
Starless 107
Alceste 107
My Daddy 113
Shasta Baily 95
First Dance 106
Stardale 111
Worthman 113
The Falconer 102
Common Gold 113
Fascista 104

Eighth race—Clubhouse course
Lieut. Seth 106
Better Luck 114
Konskiing 113
Golden Sweep 100
Realist 111
Watch the Time 109
Palolo 111
Almeren 107
Harbinger 105
Kosadine 95
Kallim 100
Frank Geller 101

Ninth race—Six furlongs.
Joe Campbell 105
Dean H 110
Spearshot 104
Buck Pound 104
Sophia Goldman 103
For Me 104
Kilauea 101
Daley Lou 106
Go Gold 109
Jedburgh Abbey 107
Ka Kee 101
Waikiki 105
Quince Garden 107
Prodigal 110
Oharusan 104
Fenman 107
Miss Fountain 103
Margaret Elnora 110

Weather, cloudy; track, fast

C.P.S. DEFEAT HILLMEN, 42-27

Lumbermen Flash Form in Great Victory Over Hillcrests — B.C. Telephone Ladies and Normals Win

SCOTTISH NOSE OUT COLLEGE QUINTETTE

Strengthened by the inclusion of "Bud" Hocking, C.P.S. senior "A" hoopsters, of the City Basketball League, walked through the Hillcrest for a 42-27 victory in the feature game of the four-game programme played at the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium last night. B.C. Telephone ladies' senior "A" quintette had an easy time with Normal School, and won by a 30-7 count. Normal School men's senior "B" waltzed through the Sons of Canada for a 49-8 verdict. The closest game of the evening was between 16th Canadian Scottish and Victoria College Intermediate "A" teams, with the former team winning by a three-point margin, the final score being 25-22.

C.P.S. played in top form against the Hillcrests, and treated the fans to some good basketball. At the rest interval the lumbermen were holding a fourteen-point advantage, which their opponents decreased by only one point at the finish.

Tommy Forbes refereed, and the teams were:

C.P.S.—Rutledge (10), Dowds (4), McEachern (8), Hocking (10), Greenwood, Fagerburg (4), Wooldridge and Davis (6).

Hillcrests—Squires (4), Wright (6), Butler (9), Darbyshire (6), and Davey (2).

IN EASY WIN

With Isobel Crawford and R. Robertson, clever forwards of the B.C. Telephone ladies, annexing twenty-two of their team's total, the "Hello" girls had little difficulty in disposing of Normal School quintette, 30-7.

Le Marquand refereed, and the teams were:

B.C. Telephone—C. Robertson (6), I. Crawford (10), R. Robertson (13), M. Breckenridge, C. Yeamans (2), and I. Philbrook.

Normal School—M. Welch (3), M. Brown (2), A. Prescott, K. Eckland (2), B. McMillan, B. Warden and E. House.

NORMALS IN FORM

Normal School men's team shot with deadly accuracy in their game against the Sons of Canada, while their opponents had difficulty in finding the basket. At half-time the winners were on the right end of a 21-1 score. The teams were:

Normal School—Knott (8), Lucas (8), Rose (10), Thomas (16), Ross (6) and Chapman (1).

Sons of Canada—Cann (1), Foubister 1, Doherty (2), Brynjolfson (2), Jack Taylor and John Taylor.

16th Canadian Scottish turned back the fighting attempt of the College in the last half to win by three points. At the rest interval the winners had a six-point advantage.

Lucas handled the whistle, and the teams were:

16th Canadian Scottish—Craig (5), Bissell (6), P. Turgoose (8), B. Turgoose (6), B. Killick and H. Killick.

Victoria College—McQueen (3), Dunsmore (8), Temple (5), Gilmour, Lyons and Foubister (6).

CADET NEIL BERRY PRESENTED WITH CHAMPIONSHIP CUP

Cadet Neil Berry, who won the Canadian cadet championship in miniature shooting in 1926, was presented with a gold cup at a banquet of the 112th Cadet Battalion held in the Victoria High School on Friday evening. Close to 200 guests attended the function. Major Richardson, who acted as coach for the youthful marksman, was presented with a silver cake dish as a token of appreciation from the battalion.

American Skaters Sail for Europe

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—The advance guard of the American team, entered in the Olympic figure skating competition, was bound for Europe today aboard the Majestic.

In the party were Beatrice Loughran, of New York, national woman's champion and runner-up in the 1924 Olympic; Sherwin Badger, of New York, and Roger Turner, of Boston.

Pay a Visit This Week

Victoria shoppers thrilled with bargains. Bankrupt Sale of the Dodd's stock bought at a low rate on the dollar is the cause of people receiving unusual bargains at

THE OUTLET STORE
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A wonderful money-saving opportunity is presented to the people of this community in the Bankrupt Sale now on at this well-known concern that makes it a business in purchasing stocks. People in need of boots, shoes, furnishings, hats, drygoods, hardware, workingmen's goods, etc., will do well to pay this concern a visit tomorrow or any day this week. The values offerd are truly phenomenal. The Bankrupt Sale resumes daily, starting at 9 a.m. A few examples of the bargains offered are mentioned here:

$1.50 Dress Shirts 69c, 20c Sox 7c, 50c Silk Ties 13c, $1.50 Overalls 89c, $15 Field Glasses $3.95, $1.50 Men's Caps 79c, $7 Men's All-Wool Sweater Coats $2.95, $5 Mackinaw Shirts $2.45, $1.25 Ladies' Silk Hose 49c $1.25 Gauntlet Gloves 59c, $3.50 Boys' Suits $1.49, 20c Collars 3c, $2 Flannel Shirts 98c, $1 Ladies' Hose 29c, Towels 19c, $2 Ladies' Union Suits 98c, $5 Ladies' Boots 98c, $1 Boys' Union Suits 49c, $4 Men's Wool Union Suits $1.98, 75c Men's Suspenders 39c, Men's Hats 98c, $4 Slicker Coats $2.98, Safety Pins, two cards for 5c, $1.50 Ladies' Rubbers 49c, Ladies' Slicker Coats $2.98, Ladies' Fine Wool Sweaters $1.98, 50c Turkish Towels 29c, $7 Slippers $2.49, $2.50 Wool Work Shirts $1.24, 75c Ties 39c, $15 Raincoats $5.95, 50c Ties 12c, Slicker Coats 98c, Ladies' Corsets 29c, $2 and $3 English Broadcloth Shirts $1.49, $2 Men's Pants 98c, $25 English Gabardine Raincoats $12.95, Overcoats $3.95, $35 Overcoats $14.95, $3.95 Bedford Cord Breeches $2.45, $3.50 Coveralls $2.25, $5 Pants $2.98, $1.50 Monkey Wrenches 79c, $1.50 and $2 Saws 89c, $1.50 Tea Kettles 69c, 75c and $1, Brooms 23c, 50c Dolls 14c, $3 Dolls 98c, Toys, values to $1, 19c, Coverall $1.49, $10 Ladies' and Misses' Coats $2.98, $1.25 Ladies' House Dresses 69c, $4 Men's Fine Hats $1.95, 35c Men's Suspenders 14c. (Advt.)

CHESS COLUMN

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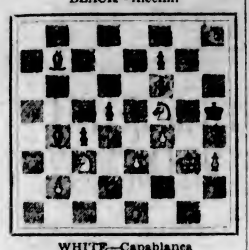
BLACK—Alechin



WHITE—Capablanca

The diagram is the end of the seventeenth game at the time of adjournment. White is in effect a Pawn plus, but Black has two Bishops vs. two Knights, making a most interesting game.

WHITE Capablanca	BLACK Alechin
43. N Q 4	43. K N 3
44. K N 4	44. P B 4 ch
45. K N 3	45. K B 3
46. N B 3	46. B B 4
47. K B 2	47. B N 5
48. N K N 5	48. B Q 3
49. N B 3	49. B N 5
50. P R 4	50. K N 3
51. N K 2	51. B Q B 1
52. N N 3	52. B K 3
53. P R 5 ch	53. K R 3
54. K K 2	54. B K 2
55. K Q 2	55. B B 3
56. N Q 4	56. B Q 1
57. K B 2	57. B R 4
58. K Q 1	58. B N 5
59. K K 2	59. B Q 2

If 60. N (Q 4) x P ch, B x N and the R P falls. The White King cannot enter the Black penetralia, and the game was declared a draw.

The game won first brilliancy prize at the Budapest I. T. Notes (in part) from Alechin's "My Best Games."

WHITE Alechin	BLACK Sterk
1. P Q 4	1. P Q 4
2. N K B 3	2. N K B 3
3. P B 4	3. P K 3
4. N B 3	4. Q N Q 2
4 ....., B K 2 !.	
5. P K 3	5. B Q 3
6. N Q N 5	6. B K 2

The retort 6. P x B 5, B K 2; 7. P Q N 4, followed by 8. B N 2, was indicated, and would have enabled White to exercise pressure on the Q side before Black, by reason of his loss of time, could undertake a counter demonstration in the centre.

7. Q B 2	7. P B 3
8. N B 3	8. Castles
9. B Q 3	9. P x P
10. B x P	10. P B 4 !
11. P x P	11. B x P
12. Castles	12. P Q N 3
13. P K 4	13. B N 2
14. B K N 5	14. Q B 1 !
15. Q K 2	15. B N 5 !
15. B Q 3 !.	
16. B Q 3	16. B x N
17. K R Q B 1 !	17. N x P
17 ....., N B 4 !;	18. R x B, B x P;
19. B x N, B x B;	20. Q K 3 !.
18. B x N	18. B x B
19. Q x B	19. N B 4
20. Q K 2 !	20. B R 4
21. Q R N 1	21. Q R 3
22. R B 4	22. N R 5
23. B B 6 !	23. K R Q B 1 !

White's twenty-third is the initial move of a mating attack as elegant as it is unexpected. Black is threatened with 24. R K N 4, Q x Q; 25. R x P ch and mate next move.

24. Q K 5 !	24. R B 4
25. Q N 3 !	25. P N 3
26. R x N	26. Q Q 6
27. R K B 1	27. Q B 4
28. Q B 4	28. Q B 7
29. Q R 6	Black resigns

A bright combinative game follows, illustrating the winner's flair for converting a little rift into a yawning chasm.

WHITE Steinitz	BLACK Nowotny
1. P K 4	1. P K 4
2. N K B 3	2. N Q B 3
3. P Q 4	3. P x P
4. B Q B 4	4. B B 4
5. Castles	5. N B 3
6. P K 5	6. P Q 4
7. P x N	7. P x B
8. R K 1 ch	8. K B 1
9. B N 5	9. Q Q 3
9. Q Q 4 !.	
10. Q N Q 2	10. B B 4
11. N R 4	11. B K N 3
12. Q B 3	12. N K 4
If 12. N x P, Q Q 4.	
13. Q K R 3	13. P B 6
13 ....., Q K 3 !.	
14. P x B P	14. Q P x P
15. N x B	15. B P x N
16. N K 4	16. Q Q 4
17. P x P ch	17. K x P
18. B B 6 ch	18. K B 2.
19. Q R 6	19. B x P ch
20. N x B	20. K x B
21. Q B 4 ch	21. K K 3
22. N N 4	22. Q B 4 ch
23. K R 1	23. K Q 2
24. Q R Q 1 ch	24. K B 1
25. R x N	25. R B 1
26. Q K 4	26. Q B 3
27. K R Q 5	27. P N 3
28. N K 5	28. R K 1
29. R Q 8 ch	29. R x R
30. R x R ch	30. K x R
31. N x Q	Black resigns

If 28....., Q N 2; 29. Q N 4 ch and 30. R Q 8 ch.

CHESS NEWS AND NOTES

England—The final match for the county championship between Middlesex and Oxfordshire was won by the Londoners by 10½ to 5½. The match was keenly contested, as half the allotted time had elapsed before Middlesex assumed the lead. Sussex won a fifty-board match vs. Surrey by 27½ to 22½.

The eighth annual match between Oxford "Past" vs. Cambridge "Past" was won by the light blues by 7 to 5. Sir Richard Barnett and A. Rutherford were unable to play for Oxford, who were thus two points down, just the margin of their defeat.

The Civil Service beat Surrey by 26½ to 23½.

Dr. Max Euwe's awards in the I.T at the British Empire Club are: First Brilliancy, Sir Geo. Thomas; second Brilliancy, R. Reti; best game prize, Nimzowitsch, for his win from Yates.

Dr. A. Rueb (Holland), president of the International Chess Federation (the F.I.D.E.) has written to all affiliated units of the body. The letter states: "The Buenos Aires contest has proved that the match for the championship of the world has changed its character," and suggests that Dr. Alechin, invited to formulate his principles on the subject, will agree that "present methods no longer satisfy the demands of the contemporary situation."

After the legitimate interval to which the new champion has a right it is suggested that the masters interested will present themselves and that the F.I.D.E. should then be called on to nominate the official candidate or candidates for the world championship. "A regularized and simplified championship will lead to periodical contests, limited as to the number of games, and thence to the reduction of the financial basis."—London Times.

The thanks of the chess world are due to The London Times for the following masterly exposition of the championship question, and especially for the lucidity and force of the diagnosis of classical strategy and the new "ultra modern" style of play.

"After more than eleven weeks of strenuous and intricate conflict the longest match ever played at chess has ended at Buenos Aires in the succession of Dr. Alechin as chess champion of the world. He is the fourth holder of this title, which was assumed by Steinitz with the common consent of chess players after his match with Anderson in 1866 and held by him until his defeat by Dr. Lasker in 1894, who resigned it to Capablanca in 1921.

"Capablanca has, therefore, held the title for a much shorter time than either of his predecessors, but during that time he has enjoyed a markedly greater ascendancy than theirs. Long before he became champion his reputation for invincibility was firmly established in master meets since the war he has lost only three games; he defeated all opponents with a precision of technique and an apparent ease that made him the Andrea Del Sarto of the game. He was recognized as the consummate master of the classical style of play, commonly regarded as representing the tradition of Steinitz, a style that insists on the proper subordination of tactics to strategy, that eschews violent attack and elaborate combination and prefers to build up positional advantage by the steady accumulation of gains in space and time.

"In a typical game of Capablanca the pieces seem to glide each to its inevitable and harmonious place with the sober grace of a minuet; there is little stress and no commotion; the opposing forces merely fall asunder and collapse through their own comparative inefficiency of discipline. Simplicity and order are combined in a manner that a distinguished player has aptly compared to chamber music.

"Since the war several of the younger masters have opposed to this classical strategy a system of play that presents, at any rate superficially, a marked contrast. Instead of hastening to occupy the recognized strategic points of marshalling their forces in the conventional formation of front line and supports, they applied the very modern tactical devices of the barrage, the pill box and the trench raid, avoiding immediate contact with the enemy in the centre, but commanding that critical region with long-range pieces well protected in the rear, while watching their opportunity for a sudden vigorous onslaught upon any section of the enemy's front left momentarily ill-defended.

"The masters of this school, if they lack the serene elegance of the greatest of the Steinitzians have done a great service to the game by reviving the neglected element of surprise, and when the champion accepted the challenge of their most eminent member, the chess players of the world anticipated a conflict of styles the like of which had not been seen before. Few thought that the challenger could hope to win more than one or two of the six games required for victory; but the interest of watching how stern, unbending orthodoxy would deal with the subtle and ingenious heretic was expected to compensate for the one-sided character of the match.

"All the forecasts were completely falsified. In the very first game Capablanca, the consummate master of strategy, made a minute strategical error and was never allowed a chance of recovery. Two games later Dr. Alechin, for the first and only time in the match, set out to build up a position of the 'ultra-modern' type; swift and overwhelming destruction came upon him, and for the remainder of the match, playing in the champion's own most austere style, he gradually demonstrated that he could use that style with slightly greater effect than the champion himself. When he scored his sixth win to Capablanca's three he had not indeed answered the commonly expressed question whether strategy or tactics were the secret of success, but he had shown the question to be meaningless by adopting the strategic principles discovered by successive generations of masters and carrying them out with a fertility of tactical resource not surpassed by any players of the new school or of the old. There can be little doubt that the late champion and his successor stand close together in a class apart, the two finest players in the world. Both have done much for chess, not least in this country, where both are well known and have contributed notable volumes to English chess literature. British players will be united both in sympathy for the one and in congratulation to the other.

"If Capablanca has, in fact, not done himself justice, he should have an opportunity of proving it in 1929, when his conqueror has offered to play a return match. Meanwhile Dr. Alechin, who succeeds to the championship at a greater age than any of his predecessors, is still only thirty-five, and has certainly a distinguished career before him; but it can scarcely include a more brilliant achievement than the defeat of the most dreaded antagonist since Paul Morphy.

"In assuming French nationality almost simultaneously with the championship, he enters his adopted country not empty-handed, but bearing trophies worthy of her acceptance."

Two New Yorkers visiting London were gazing with outspoken criticism on the plain, unpretentious exterior of the Prime Minister's official residence in Downing Street. "What a home for a Prime Minister!" one of them exclaimed.

"Yes," said the other, who had caught sight of a small two-seater standing at the curb, "and look at that car, will you? Why, in li'l ol' New York a secondhand store clerk would be ashamed to own a flivver like that."

At this moment a well dressed man emerged from the official residence, entered the car and drove off.

"Say, who was that guy?" the last speaker asked a passing policeman.

"Mr. A. B. Oughton, the Hamerican Hambassador, sir," answered the bobby politely.—Boston Transcript.

"Do you believe that history repeats itself, sir?" asked the waiter who was serving the prosperous-looking man.

"Yes, I do," replied the customer as he rose to leave.

"Well," said the waiter, looking rather hopeful, "a gentleman who ate here yesterday gave me half-a-crown for a tip."

"Let's hope he'll be in again today," replied the other.

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SOUND AUCTION BRIDGE

By WILBUR C. WHITEHEAD

The World's Greatest Authority

HAND NO. 34

North: ♠ J 9 6 ♡ 10 3 ◇ 7 6 3 ♣ K 9 7 4 2
West: ♠ K 10 5 4 3 ♡ J 6 5 4 ◇ 9 5 ♣ Q J
East: ♠ A 7 2 ♡ Q 9 7 ◇ K 10 8 ♣ 8 6 5 3
South: ♠ Q 8 ♡ A K 8 2 ◇ A Q J 4 2 ♣ A 10

South is the dealer. What is the proper bidding and play?

Each day we shall publish a complete hand presented by Mr. Whitehead, together with a chart upon which the bidding and play may be noted. These hands may be played with cards by one, two, three or four players, before filling in the chart.

Tuesday we shall publish Mr. Whitehead's explanation of today's hand, with the important features emphasized.

Fill out your own chart and compare it Tuesday with Mr. Whitehead's method. Do this each day and carefully read Mr. Whitehead's explanation, and you will find that your knowledge of the game will progress rapidly. Compare your bidding and play with that of your friends—the comparison may be illuminating.

Record the bids that each player should make, assuming that he does not see any of the other hands. These hands must not be bid or played "Double Dummy," i.e., as though all four hands were exposed.

NOTE—In recording the Auction, or the play, use "S" for Spades, "H" for Hearts, "D" for Diamonds, and "C" for Clubs. Use "NT" for No Trumps. "DBL" for double. "REDBL" for redouble.

THE PLAY

Trick	South	West	North	East	Won by N-S	Won by E-W
1						
2						
3						
4						
5						
6						
7						
8						
9						
10						
11						
12						
13						
				Total Tricks Won		

(Bracket the card led to each trick)

Declarer ..... Opponents .....

Point Score .....

Honor Score .....

THE BIDDING

South Bids	West Bids	North Bids	East Bids

Final Bid ..... Played by .....

Yesterday's Hand as Played by Mr. Whitehead

HAND NO. 33

The Correct Bidding and Play

THE PLAY

(Bracketed card shows lead to each trick)

Tricks	South	West	North	East	Won by N-S	Won by E-W
1	(S2)	S7	S9	S5	/	
2	S3	S8	(SA)	S6	/	
3	S6	S10	(S4)	SK		/
4	C2	C8	CK	(CQ)	/	
5	H8	HT	(H2)	H6		/
6	C6	(CA)	C4	C3		/
7	H4	(CJ)	C7	C5		/
8	H5	(C10)	H7	C9		/
9	D2	(DJ)	D4	D3		/
10	D5	(D10)	D9	DQ		/
11	D6	H3	HA	(H10)	/	
12	D7	D8	(DK)	DA		/
13	S7	HQ	H9	(HK)		/
			Total Tricks Won		4	9

Declarer ..... Opponents .....

Point Score ..... 30 .....

Honor Score .....

THE BIDDING

South Bids	West Bids	North Bids	East Bids
Pass	Pass	1 NT	DBL
Pass	Pass	REDBL	Pass
2 NT	Pass	Pass	Pass
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Final Bid 2 NT. Played by East.

Salient Points of the Bidding

While East unquestionably held the high-card values to justify his informatory double, still his double was also a defensive measure. With East's type of hand, it is usually better to double in order to get some indication from partner as to the best suit to open, or else drive the opponents to a suit bid at which the game might be more easily defended.

West's pass of East's informatory double automatically changed this double into a business double. It is for this reason that a pass in this situation is termed a business pass. A business pass is made when the high-card values held warrant the assumption that the bid informatorily doubled should be defeated, assuming the double to be sound.

North, following West's business pass, sees clearly that he is in between two strong hands. To extricate himself from this precarious position, he redouples, thus asking his partner to rescue him with his best suit, feeling sure that the impending loss would be minimized by playing the hand at a suit bid instead of at No Trump. His redouble was clearly informatory because, if reasonably sure of making his contract, all he needed to do was to pass, which would have closed the bidding.

East bids two No Trumps, following South's Spade bid and the two succeeding passes, believing that this procedure would result in greater gain than a problematical business double of two Spades.

Salient Points of the Play

Trick 1. In view of the bidding and the cards in sight, East visualizes South's holding as one void of high cards, and therefore holds up the King of spades, thus blocking North's clever attempt to bring in the Spade suit.

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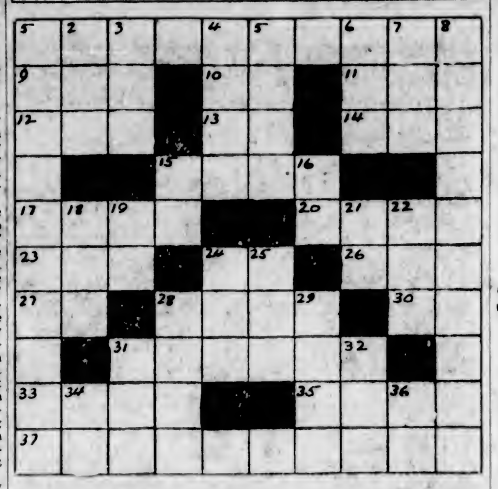
The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

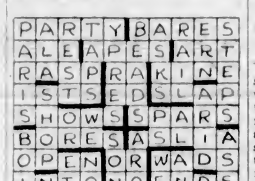


ACROSS

1. Rustics.
9. Printed notices.
10. Three-toed sloth.
11. Arabian name.
12. Insect.
13. Unit of germplasm.
14. A twitching.
15. Killed.
17. Character in Othello.
20. Always.
23. Swedish coin.
24. Mother.
26. Mohammedan dignitary.
27. Exclamation.
28. Luminous circle.
30. King of Bashan.
31. Review.
33. Sailors.
35. Ancient Peruvian.
37. Inventor of the locomotive.

DOWN

1. Vehicle.
2. Poem.
3. Employ.
4. Appendage.
5. Travel.
6. Floor covering.
7. High priest of Israel.
8. Inhabitant of part of Central America.
15. Thus.
16. Lindbergh and his plane.
18. Constellation.
19. Goddess of earth.
21. Southern State (ab.).
22. Self.
24. Deface.
25. A wing.
28. A fastening.
29. Norse god.
31. Before.
32. Abstract conception of being.
34. Preposition.
36. Company (ab.).



ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

Auction Bridge Analyzed

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END PLAYS AS IMPORTANT IN BRIDGE AS IN MINSTREL SHOWS—HERE'S AN EXAMPLE

One of the difficulties that besets the average bridge player is the proper play of the hand when only a few cards remain, that is, the so-called "end plays." Here is one that was submitted recently and is given as an example because it contains a principle that occurs very frequently.

EXAMPLE HAND

Y: h—8, c—A Q 8, d—10, s—10 7
A: h—10 9 3, c—10 5 4, d—J, s—none
B: h—none, c—K J 7 3, d—Q, s—9 8
Z: h—J, c—9 6 2, d—none, s—Q J 6

Spades are trumps and Z is in the lead. How can he play the hand so that he will win all the tricks but one against any defence? The end play consists in first taking out all of B's cards, except clubs, so that when that suit is led, B cannot get out of the lead by playing any other suit than clubs. This type of end play is called "stripping" the hand or the "elimination" play.

Solution: Z should first lead two rounds of spades, winning the second spade trick in Y's hand with the ten of spades. Y should now lead the ten of diamonds and Z should trump with his last spade. Z should now lead the jack of hearts, on which B should discard the seven of clubs. Z should now lead the deuce of clubs and A should play the ten of clubs, Y the queen and B should win the trick with the king of clubs. What can B now lead except the trey of clubs so that Y Z must win the next two tricks. By taking out all of the cards in B's hands except clubs, Z has been able to force B in the lead to his disadvantage. If A had played a low club instead of the ten spot, Y should play the eight of clubs and the result is the same. Be on the look out for such plays, for the opportunity to make them occurs frequently enough to make this knowledge well worth while.

PROBLEM GIVEN IN LAST ARTICLE

Y: h—J, c—7 5 4 3 2, d—Q, s—Q 7
A: h—4, c—J 10, d—J 10 7 5, s—9 4
B: h—10, c—K 6, d—9 3, s—K 10 8 3
Z: h—none, c—A Q 9 8, d—none, s—A J 6 5 2

If hearts are trumps and Z is in the lead, how can Y Z win eight of the nine tricks against any defence?

Solution: Z should lead the ace of clubs. B has two plays: First, he can play a low club. If he does, Z leads the nine of clubs, forcing B in the lead. B must now lead either a heart, a diamond or a club. If he leads the heart, Y wins the trick and leads out the queen of diamonds and on these two tricks Z should discard his two remaining clubs. Y's clubs are now good and he should lead them out, on which Z should discard his three spades. Y should now lead the queen of spades and no matter what B does, Y Z must win two spade tricks. Suppose B at trick three leads a diamond. Y wins the trick and should lead the jack of hearts, on which tricks Z should discard his two clubs as before and the play results the same. Suppose B leads a low spade at trick three. Z should play low and allow Y to win the trick with the queen. Y should now play the jack of hearts and queen of diamonds and Z should discard his two clubs as before. If at trick three, B should lead the king of spades, Z should win trick and put Y in the lead with the queen of spades at trick four. Y should then lead the jack of hearts and queen of diamonds as before and the play is the same. Played in this way, therefore, Y Z must win all of the tricks but one.

Second: Suppose that when Z leads the ace of clubs, B should play the king of clubs so that he cannot be forced into the lead at trick two. This is B's best defence and makes Z's play much more difficult. Z should now play the jack of spades and B's best play is to refuse to win the trick. If he does, the play will proceed the same way as if he had been forced to win the second trick with the king of clubs. Y has a re-entry with the queen of spades and can give Z two discards of clubs as before, thus again winning all of the tricks except one. B's best play is to play the king of clubs at trick one and to refuse to win the second trick with the king of spades. Z should now continue the play as follows:

At trick three he should lead the ace of spades and follow with the nine of clubs, thus forcing A to win the trick with the jack of clubs. A has no defence to this play as he must follow suit. A must now lead either a heart or a diamond, which Y wins, and is thus again able to give Z two discards of clubs. Y's clubs are now good and Y Z are again able to win all of the tricks but one. It is an interesting little problem and each variation should be worked out carefully.

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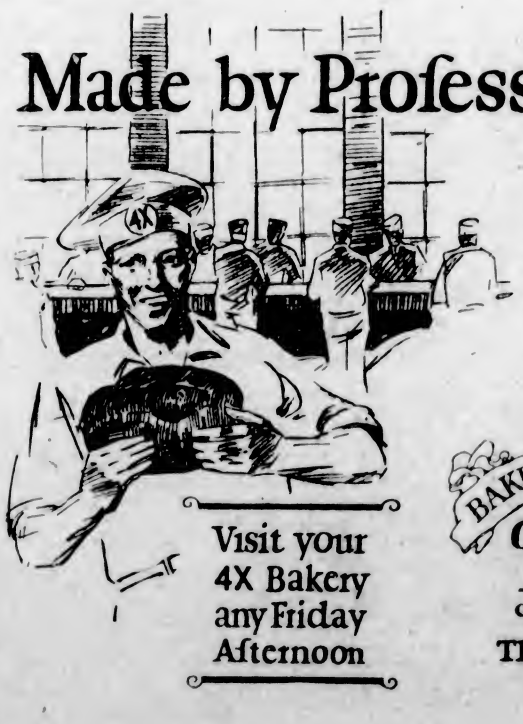

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With Pastor and People

DR. BARNES VOICES HIS CONVICTIONS

New Book of Bishop of Birmingham, "Should Such a Faith Offend?" Reviewed With His Statements

APOLOGETIC FOR HIS OPINIONS

"Bible That Really Matters to Us Is Bible Discovered by Modern Scholars," He Says

The British religious journals just come to hand pay large attention to the new book of Dr. Barnes, the Bishop of Birmingham. It is a collection of thirty-one utterances of this much-discussed prelate which he has delivered during the past seven years and bears the title, "Should Such a Faith Offend?" Dr. Barnes feels himself to be a victim of misrepresentation, according to a review of the book in The Christian World, by the publication of only such passages from his utterances as excite attention, and contends that, as he wrote in his famous letter to the Archbishop of Canterbury last October: "Most of my teaching is positive and unreported." The book may be therefore looked upon as an apologetic, his defence of his own faith. The reading of even some of its paragraphs will convince many that it is also the confession of a genuine Christian faith.

TEACHING ON IMMORTALITY

His convictions on personal immortality are definite and strong. In the opening sermon preached before the British Association in 1920, he makes this affirmation concerning eternal life in communion with God:

"I remain sure that God, who is Love, made and rules the world. I am certain that man was created that he might enjoy eternal life in communion with God in the world to come. Do you doubt? Reflect for a few minutes. Surely the universe had a beginning and therefore a Creator . . . And surely the finest products of evolution have not been made for nothing; and yet, in the distant future, when all life vanishes from the earth, as it certainly must, heroes and saints will in vain have gained knowledge of God, in vain have spent their strength, unless they continue to live eternally in the spiritual world."

In another part of the volume he returns to the subject in the following statement:

"I need a God, who is our Father, who rules the world and loves men with a father's love. For me the universe is a sorry jest if I shall never "know even as also I am known." . . . If at the end I go hence to be no more, then have I spent my strength in vain. God, freedom and immortality—such are my instinctive religious convictions, rooted and grounded in the teachings of Christ."

DR. BARNES ON THE BIBLE

"My faith," he avers, "is rooted and grounded in the Bible. In the Bible I find God's witness of Himself, all that I can know of His revelation in Jesus Christ to mankind. The Bible gives me all that I need. I find there supreme inspiration. I hold that the Christian faith must be built upon the teaching of the Bible, that its development can be rightly fostered only by a fuller and truer understanding of Holy Scripture." As to the Bible as affected by modern criticism, Dr. Barnes goes on to say: "The Bible that really matters to us is the Bible discovered by modern scholars. In a very real sense it is the old loved Book, for accurate investigation has merely confirmed true religious instinct.

THE FACT OF INCARNATION

"What is its meaning?" asks Dr. Barnes of the doctrine of Incarnation. In answering this question he says: "Simply this, that God revealed Himself in human form in Jesus of Nazareth." He contends that it is the teaching of the Gospels that Jesus had a human mind which, consequently, human limitations . . . The Incarnation means that in Jesus the Divine life was lived under human conditions."

Treating of sin, Dr. Barnes affirms that while the modern critical view of the Old Testament stories compels him to think of the story of the Fall as a legend, the fact of sin is none the less undoubted. Sin alienates man from his Maker. Sin is, as Paul taught, rebellion against God. We feel the need of aid to make us one with God. We can get that aid from Christ. He is the living Power to redeem us. This is the primary fact of Christian experience."

DR. BARNES ON THE ATONEMENT

Passing to the doctrine of the Atonement, the Bishop connects it with the truth of the Incarnation. "The Word made flesh in Christ Jesus was not a personality separate from God. He did not give His life to ransom men from the devil as crude mediaeval theology taught, nor was it necessary that He should offer Himself to placate a justly angry Father as more recent theories taught . . . But while the Incarnation is the central fact of Christianity, the doctrine of the Cross is its most distinctive contribution to the human religion. In the Incarnation we see God's self-sacrificing love winning men by evoking love, and this is the true doctrine of the Atonement." In another part of the book Dr. Barnes, after quoting Isaac Watt's familiar lines, beginning, "When I survey the wondrous Cross" goes on to say, "If those lines do not ring true in our ears, if their beauty seems faded or their sentiment exaggerated, we have forgotten the rock on which Christ's Church was built."

CHRIST'S RESURRECTION

"Did Jesus show himself as the risen Lord after His death and burial?" This question he answered by saying "We cannot understand the history of the early Church unless this fact be admitted." As to the subjects of evolution and the sacraments, concerning which Dr. Barnes' views have created much discussion, a few sentences may be selected. "Evolution," he writes, "was and still is, not an observed fact, but a theory so probable that no alternative can be entertained . . . Can we accept evolution and yet believe that God, a loving Father, made the world . . . I answer emphatically that we can. I remain sure that God, who is love, made and rules the world." Viewing the whole evolutionary process as leading up to man's civilized progress as its culmination, the Bishop maintains that "we are forced to the conclusion that . . . it is the result of God's continuous action. His purpose and creative power have ever been present."

THE SACRAMENTS

More than evolution, his attitude toward the sacraments as one of the nerve centres of the Christian faith has evoked both violent dissent and hearty agreement. His conception is set forth in three propositions:

"(a) The real presence of Christ can be with His followers in public worship. He is present wherever two or three gather in His name.

"(b) A special solemnity attaches to the celebration of the Lord's Supper, inasmuch as for most Christians the sense of Christ's presence is then strengthened. For each it is a sacrament, the "fellowship," the communion "with each other and the Lord."

"(c) There is no objective real presence of Christ attached to the bread and wine used in Holy Communion."

The Bishop is hopeful as to the outlook for religion provided the churches "present Christ's teaching in its essential purity, free from sacerdotalism and obscurantism, which it is too often combined." He is concerned that the religious teachers should preach to the younger generation "in the light of the new knowledge. We cannot," he says, "close our minds, or our sermons to the new ideas. The closed mind will lead, sooner or later, to the closed church."

These excerpts from a book which is likely to be widely read may be fittingly closed with these two sentences: "The very urgency of our need of the spirit of Christ will cause its power to break forth anew . . . Man cannot do without Christ."

Assistant at Christ Church Cathedral

Rev. F. A. Ramsay, L.S.T., assumes duties today as Dean Quainton's assistant, and succeeds Mr. A. R. Merrix as superintendent of Memorial Hall

MEN'S CLUBS MEET

Oak Bay Hears About Earthquakes and F.F.F. Elect President

Mr F. Napier Denison, director of the Meteorological Observatory, gave a very interesting talk at the monthly meeting of the Oak Bay United Church Men's Club, held on Tuesday. He described the methods used in ascertaining the changes in the weather and registering the locality and nature of earthquakes. Mr. Denison gave his hearers much valuable information, and with his usual courtesy, extended an invitation to all who desired to visit the Observatory.

Miss Evelyn Vallant gave two delightful solos, also kindly officiated at the piano for the community singing. A splendid supper was prepared by the Ladies' Aid of the church.

The new president of Fernwood's Friendly Forum is Mr. J. Arthur Armstrong, of the Victoria High School staff, who was unanimously elected at the regular meeting of the club last Monday evening. Supper and speeches filled two pleasant hours in which community singing also featured and solos by Mr. F. Wright. Plans are being matured for the coming meetings of the society, which meets on the second Monday of the month.

New Thought Temple

Today, at the New Thought Temple, Dr. A. F. Barton will occupy the pulpit at both services. In the morning, at eleven o'clock, he will speak on "The Sunlit Way," and at the evening services, which commence at 7:30, he will speak on "The Resurrected Mind." Dr. Barton will give another of his popular health lectures on Wednesday evening at eight o'clock, when he will take for his theme, "Health, How to Get It and Keep It." This lecture will be followed by a demonstration of diagnosis from the eyes.

In Dr. H. E. Fosdick's new church on Park Avenue, New York, the six memorial windows dedicated to "trail blazers in religion," have as their subjects John Bunyan, John Milton, William Carey, Adoniram Judson, Roger Williams and Francis Wayland.

YEAR'S GROWTH AND PROGRESS

St. Saviour's Is Rapidly Recovering Its Position Among the Suburban Churches

VESTRY REVIEWS PAROCHIAL WORK

Enlargement of the church hall, installation of organ improvements, organization of the Parish Welfare Association, and other parochial activities were reviewed in the report of the Church Committee presented Monday evening at the vestry meeting of St. Saviour's parish by Rev. Edwin Moss, the rector. There was a good representative attendance of parishioners. Mr. N. S. Fraser was re-nominated as rector's warden and Mr. V. R. Carver re-elected as people's warden. The Church Committee for 1928 is as follows: The two wardens, Mr. F. Tate, Mr. W. Ashworth, Mr. George McTavish, Mr. A. R. Hooper, Mr. H. Gard, Dr. E. Henry, Mr. G. Silk, Mr. J. Eastick, Mrs. G. Barraclough, Mrs. W. J. Smith.

The principal activities of the parish are outlined in the following extracts from the report: "The outstanding development of the year has been the enlargement of the church hall. The hall committee, under the presidency of Mr. J. N. Harper, carried out its work to the satisfaction of all. The degree of interest shown by the warden, Mr. V. R. Carver, in acting in the capacity of architect and overseer, is worthy of our united expression of appreciation. Your Church Committee has instituted the Parish Welfare Association for the purpose of binding all together in closer fellowship, an association wherein we are led to recognize its success depends upon the sinking of our own interests in those of another. This is practical Christianity, and the fostering of such a spirit must in the days to come bear fruits. The hall has been used extensively and it is gratifying to note that the association at present is a little more than self-supporting, besides doing active work for the good of the parish at large.

"Due to the generosity of two of our parishioners we have been enabled to install a small motor and blower for the organ. This has already proven itself satisfactory, and at the same time makes the organ more useful. The activities of the Kitchen Cabinet: Band are well known to us all. Mrs. W. J. Smith, the pianist, and Mr. Hooper, the conductor, with all the members of the band, are to be congratulated upon the abundant success which has attended their efforts. They have now become an institution and have proven their worth. Another advancement has taken place in the introduction of The Parish Link. It is distributed free, and is no charge upon the current funds, the entire cost being borne by the advertisers, and an expression of appreciation is hereby tendered to those who have co-operated to make The Link possible.

"The various branches of the W.A. have all worked splendidly, as the reports give evidence, and a vote of thanks is hereby tendered to the presidents and other officers for their untiring interest during the year. The Men's Auxiliary, though few in number, under the leadership of Mr. Coady Johnson, has done excellently in the various departments of the church work, and wherever a need has been realized it has always been ready to meet such with a willingness that is characteristic. The Sunday School has, during the year, suffered a loss in the resignation of Mr. and Mrs. Foxwell. Mr. Foxwell for several years acted in the capacity of superintendent. Were it not for the loyal and devoted staff of teachers, who give of their time and talent Sunday after Sunday, the work of the Sunday School would be sadly crippled.

"In a great measure the tone of our services within the church is governed by the activities of the organist and choir. To Mr. Sadler's unfailing faithfulness to his duties, a tribute is here paid. His love for the church service is deep and true and commends itself to us all. Mr. Gard has, under sometimes trying circumstances, carried on as leader of the choir. His interest, especially with the boys, is known to us all, and in this connection we would mention Mrs. W. J. Smith, who week after week plays for the practice of the boys."

The committee's report speaks appreciatively of the faithfulness of Mrs. E. Saunders in her service for the sanctuary, and of the volunteer caretakers, and also the efficiency of Mr. N. S. Fraser as rector's warden, and Mr. V. R. Carver as people's warden.

NANAIMO PASTOR AT CENTENNIAL

Rev. Hugh Nixon Takes Work Today of Rev. J. P. Westman, Who Preaches in New Indian Church

Centennial United Church will today present a new speaker to the city in the person of the Rev. Hugh Nixon, of Nanaimo. During the past four years Mr. Nixon has made a name for himself as a strong leader of the young people. He has gathered together groups of the boys, and co-operated with the social clubs of the city in the matter of Summer camps. He has united two congregations and has now one of the strongest organizations of the province. Mr. Nixon will take both services in Centennial today in the absence of the pastor, who goes to Nanaimo in connection with the opening of the new Indian church there.

Toc H has taken the newsboys of Belfast under its wing and carries on a club for the youngsters. Its home is in the centre of the city, a convenient rendezvous for the little merchants.

Thomas Hardy

Died, January 11, 1928
Requiem From His Own Poetry

In his book of verse, "Moments of Vision," published in 1917, Mr. Hardy had placed under the heading "Finale," two poems on the end of life, after the manner of Tennyson, who directed that "Crossing the Bar" should stand last in his published poems. The first of the two poems by Mr. Hardy is entitled:

"THE COMING OF THE END"

How it came to an end!
The meeting afar from the crowd,
And the love-looks and laughters unpenned
The parting when much was avowed,
How it came to an end!

It came to an end;
Yes, the outgazing over the stream,
With the sun on each serpentine bend,
Or, later, the luring moon-gleam;
It came to an end.

It came to an end,
The housebuilding, furnishing, planting,
As if there were ages to spend
In welcoming, feasting and jaunting;
It came to an end.

It came to an end,
That journey of one day a week;
("It always goes on," said a friend,
"Just the same in bright weathers or bleak");
But it came to an end.

"How will come to an end
This obit so smoothly begun,
Unless some convulsion attend?"
I often said. "What will be done
When it comes to an end?"

Well, it came to an end
Quite silently—stopped without jerk;
Better close no prevision could lend;
Working out as One planned it should work
Ere it came to an end.

DEAN QUAINTON HAS ASSISTANT

Rev. F. A. Ramsay, L.S.T., of Alberni, Begins Service as Assistant Priest at Cathedral

Rev. F. A. Ramsay, L.S.T., who has been appointed assistant priest at Christ Church Cathedral, will act also from today as superintendent of the Cathedral Sunday School, with charge of the Memorial Hall. In the latter capacity Mr. Ramsey will succeed Mr. A. R. Merrix, who has been released from parish duties, at the request of the New Cathedral Committee, to undertake special work in connection with this year's efforts for the completion of the nave of the new building.

For the last three years Rev. F. A. Ramsey has been in charge of the parishes of Alberni and Port Alberni, to which he came from the diocese of Kootenay. Previous to serving at Nakusp, B.C., Mr. Ramsey attended the University of Bishop's College, Lennoxville. He was ordained deacon in 1922 by the Bishop of Niagara and priest in 1923 by the Bishop of Kootenay. Before studying for Holy Orders, Mr. Ramsey spent some time during the years of the Great War in the army and Royal Air Force in Canada.

WOMANHOOD IDEALS WILL BE COMPARED

Dean Quainton Speaks to King's Daughters Today on Christian and Mohammedan Women

At the eleven o'clock service this morning in Christ Church Cathedral, which will be attended by members of the Victoria branch of the King's Daughters, the Dean of Columbia is announced to preach on the subject, "The Life of a Mohammedan Woman Compared With That of a Christian Woman." The subject is of special interest during the Epiphany season, following the appeal recently issued by the Primate of the Church of England in Canada, calling for a consideration of missionary problems which face the church in Canada and in other lands. Rev. T. E. Rowe, warden of the Guild of Health in Canada, will preach at this evening's service at 7:30 o'clock. Celebrations of the Holy Communion are being held in the Cathedral today at 6 a.m., 8 a.m., and after Matins at 11 a.m.

SACRED CANTATA AT VICTORIA WEST

Choir Will Give "The Light of Life" at Victoria West United This Evening

Rev. H. J. Armitage will preach on "If Not Christ, Then Whom or What?" or "Alternatives for Christ," at this morning's service in the Victoria West United Church. At 7:30 the choir will sing the sacred cantata, entitled "The Light of Life," by E. L. Ashford. Special solos will be rendered by Mrs. T. Floyd, soprano; Mrs. H. J. Armitage, contralto; Mr. A. W. Palmer, bass, and Mr. George Guy, tenor. This will be a most interesting service. On Wednesday evening next, the annual congregational meeting will be held at eight o'clock. Elections will take place and all reports will be given. Refreshments will be served by the Ladies' Aid, and all members and friends of the church are invited.

Theosophical Society

The Victoria Independent Theosophical Society will hold a public meeting this evening at eight o'clock, when "Karma" will be the subject of an address and discussion.

At Oak Bay United

On Monday evening, January 16, at 7:45 o'clock, Rev. Simon Frazer, a returned missionary to Trinidad, will give an illustrated lecture in Oak Bay United Sunday School in conjunction with the Young Peoples' Meeting. On Wednesday evening at the midweek devotional hour, Rev. Robert Aylward will continue the series of talks on comparative religions, taking as his topic, "Hinduism as the Curse of India."

Young People Co-operate at Esquimalt United

In facing the demands of the New Year, a splendid optimism marks every department of church activities at the Esquimalt United Church, Admiral's Road. The young people, who have done so much to maintain the praise leadership in the morning congregations, are giving themselves with increased zeal to a larger usefulness this year, and with responsive results. On Sunday the young people will furnish a solo and an anthem. The morning theme will be: "Do We Really Need Christ?" At the evening service at 7:30, the full church choir, with Mr. Filmore Morgan at the organ, will render the anthem, "Gracious Is the Lord" (Gabriel). The soloist will be Miss E. Mutch. The subject of address will be "Adventuring Beyond the Known." The minister will be in charge of both services.

VESTRY HELD AT ST. COLUMBA'S

Satisfactory Growth Is Reported at Strawberry Vale—Synod Apportionments Maintained

The annual meeting of the vestry of St. Columba's, Strawberry Vale, was held on Thursday in the church at eight o'clock. About the usual number of parishioners was present. The people's churchwarden, Mr. C. Fenshaw, presented a satisfactory balance sheet, showing that all assessments and apportionments due to the Synod had been paid in full, and there was a small balance in the bank.

The superintendent of the Sunday School, Miss Outram, read an encouraging report of the Sunday School. The number of names had increased and the average attendance was good. Collections in Sunday School and donations totalled $119.29 for the year. Miss Outram spoke warmly of "her willing, helpful band of teachers."

In moving that the Sunday School accounts be passed, Mr. Stapleton proposed a hearty vote of thanks to the superintendent and teachers. This was seconded by Mr. Rowland and carried with acclamation.

Mrs. Stapleton, the president of the W.A., gave a brief account of the year's work. The membership had increased and a large amount of money had been raised. In the absence of Mrs. Veals, the president of the W.A., Mrs. Stapleton read the president's report. There is a membership of twenty-five who come pretty regularly. Over $100 was raised during the year. A satisfactory statement was made by Mrs. Stapleton, the envelope secretary, who appealed for more envelope subscribers.

A vote of thanks was proposed by Mr. Stapleton and seconded by Mrs. Greenwood to the churchwardens, organist and all who in one way or another had helped the church. This was carried heartily.

A vote of thanks was moved by Mr. C. Fensham and seconded by Mr. Stapleton to Mr. Greenwood for auditing the accounts.

The Vicar appointed Mr. Rowland as his churchwarden for 1928.

Mr. C. Fensham was elected people's churchwarden.

The following were elected to serve on the church committee: Mr. Downes, Mr. H. Fensham, Mr. Gardiner, Mr. Stapleton, Mrs. Bennett, Mrs. Foster, Mrs. Greenwood, Miss Outram, Mrs. Stapleton and Miss Walker.

Mr. H. Fensham and Mr. Gardiner were elected to be a missionary committee.

Mr. H. Fensham and Mr. Rowland were elected lay delegates to the Synod, with Mr. Downes as substitute.

Mr. Downes, Mrs. Foster and Mrs. Greenwood were elected delegates to the R.D. Conference.

"Companionate Marriage" Is Temple Theme

This evening, at the Victoria City Temple, Rev. Dr. Clem Davies will have for his theme, "Companionate Marriage." The question that will be raised by Dr. Davies is as to whether society should try to make marriage conform more closely to the actual facts of life or whether it should endeavor to make the actual facts of life correspond to the regular conservative marriage system. At the morning service Dr. Davies will speak on "Faith in Our City, Ourselves, Our God." Temple Band and Choir, under the associate directorship of Mr. Charles Raine and Mr. George W. Deaville, will render special morning and evening music.

FAIRFIELD UNITED WILL HOLD ANNUAL MEETING WEDNESDAY

The services in the Fairfield United Church today will be conducted by the minister, the Rev. R. W. Lee. At the service this morning, Mr. Lee will preach on "The Mobilization of Power." Mrs. L. M. Shandley will sing "The Silent Voice" (Roma).

Tonight at 7:30, Mr. Lee will give a special address on "Life's Agnosticism." Mr. Harold Percy will sing "It is Enough" (Elijah.) The public generally are heartily invited to attend these services. The annual meeting of the Church, which was postponed owing to the inclemency of the weather, will be held on Wednesday next.

Dean Quainton Will Speak on Mossions Tonight, St. Martin's

Dean Quainton will preach this evening at St. Martin's on the mission work of the church. The annual vestry meeting will be held in St. Martin's Hall Monday evening, when reports on the past year's work will be presented.

Sir Albert Spicer and Sir Arthur Yap were godfathers at the christening of a Chinese baby in St. Paul's Cathedral recently. This was the first event of its kind in the history of the City of London.

METROPOLITAN HAS RECORD

Senior United Church of City Continues to Prosper Under Dr. Sipprell's Pastorate

INCOME IS WELL SUSTAINED

The Metropolitan United Church has brought another successful year to a close, a year which covers but nine months, beginning April 1, 1927. The annual meeting held on Tuesday last was presided over by the pastor, Dr. W. J. Sipprell, who has now entered upon the eighth year of his pastorate in this church.

The financial report for the nine months shows a total income of nearly $19,000, which is but a little less than was the amount received in the previous twelve months. All the organizations of the church reports marked success in work and finance. The Women's Missionary Society reports an income of $1,434; the Ladies' Aid of $751; the Sunday School, $810; and for the Maintenance and Extension Fund, $6,221. The church has contributed several hundred dollars to the Union College, and the Ladies' Aid Society has furnished a room in that institution.

The officers elected to lead the various organizations of the church for the year are: President of Ladies' Aid, Mrs. E. O. Weston; president of W.M.S., Mrs. G. D. Christie; superintendent of Sunday School, Mr. R. J. C. Smith; president of Young People's Society, Mr. E. W. Andrews; church treasurer, Mr. John A. Grant; church secretary, Mr. E. W. Whittington. Various committees were appointed at the annual meeting, which was one of the most satisfactory meetings held in the history of the church.

The work of the deaconess, Miss A. Garbutt, was noted with much satisfaction, and favorable comment made upon the success attending all the organizations of the church. Excellent work has been done throughout the year by the choir, and general satisfaction with the splendid reports presented was felt by the entire official board.

This church, with increased membership over last year, which now stands at 1,048, goes forward in hope and confidence in the new year.

"Building a Better World" will be the evening subject at Metropolitan Church today, when the pastor, Rev. Dr. Sipprell, will discuss some present day tendencies that indicate directly and indirectly what the church of the future must become if she is to capture the life of the world. These tendencies are suggested by the rejection of the Prayer Book by the British House of Commons, the trend of modern evangelism, and the attitude taken by the nations as to war.

At the morning service Dr. Sipprell will speak on "New Things for the New Year." The evening service will begin with a service of song at 7:15.

The report shows that the Metropolitan Church is closing one of the most successful years in its history.

NEW INSTRUMENTS FOR S. A. BAND

At Public Meeting Next Thursday Salvationists Will Be Presented With New Band Instruments

On Thursday night the new band instruments, which, through the kind courtesy of the Hudson's Bay Company and David Spencer, Ltd., have been on exhibit in their show windows, will be publicly presented in the First United Church to the Salvation Army Band. Mr. Reginald Hayward, M.P.P., has kindly consented to preside over the gathering, and he will be supported by several leading citizens. The pastor of the church and other members of the clergy will also be on the platform. The Citadel Band, under Bandmaster Hornbuckle, will play selections of Army music, and with the assistance of some well-known local vocalists, a good programme is assured. A cordial invitation is extended to both residents of Victoria and visitors to come and bring their friends that the church may be filled for the occasion. Commandant and Mrs. Jones will lead the meetings at the Salvation Army Citadel, Broad Street, today at the usual hours.

EPIPHANY SERMONS BEGIN AT ST. JOHN'S

Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick Will Follow Lead of Primate's Pastoral in World Appeal

A short series on an intensely interesting subject will be given during the Epiphany season, on the next few Sundays, by Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick in St. John's Anglican Church. In these sermons Mr. Chadwick will deal with the supremely important opportunities which are opening before the Anglican Church in its world-wide outlook. In his appeal to the Canadian Church, the Primate of all Canada strongly urges that the whole Canadian Church should follow the splendid lead of the Church in the Motherland, and strive to carry out her missionary duty with renewed vigor. On Sunday evening the rector of St. John's will take as his subject, "The Glory of Christ as Manifested in Creation and Nature." The usual organ recital preceding the evening service will be given by Mr. G. Jennings Burnett, commencing at 7.10 o'clock.

British Israel Federation

Mr. T. H. Laundy, of Oak Bay, will address the local branch of the British Israel World Federation on "The National History of the Bible" in the King's Hall, 571 Yates Street, on Monday at 8 o'clock. The meeting is open to the public.

For thirty years of service the members of the First Unitarian Society of Newton, Mass., recently presented their sexton with the sum of $1,000.

Bishop Schofield Preaches at Royal Oak And Strawberry Vale

Bishop Schofield will preach this morning at the 11 o'clock service in St. Michael and All Angels' at Royal Oak and in the evening at St. Columba's, Strawberry Vale.

MISS HELEN KELLER'S RELIGION

Miss Helen Keller, the American author and lecturer, who has overcome in such a wonderful manner the handicap of being blind, dumb and deaf since the age of nineteen months, has recently published through a New York firm a volume entitled "My Religion." It appears from this book that she is an ardent Swedenborgian. She was first drawn to his faith on reading, when in her middle 'teens, such of Swedenborg's works as had been transcribed into Braille. "As I realized," she says, "the meaning of what I read, my soul seemed to expand and gain confidence amid the difficulties which beset me."

Inner Victory Sermon Subject At First Baptist

At First Baptist Church, the Rev. James Strachan will take as his theme at the morning service "Conquest From Within." This thought, taken in connection with the statement of Christ that the Kingdom of Heaven lies within, should fill the soul of man with hope that the evils of life may be overcome. In the evening the minister will preach on "A Question of Waste." In the Master's scheme of values there are many surprises.

Mrs. R. McIntosh will be the soloist at the morning service, and will render "Come Ye Blessed," by Prindle-Scott.

At the evening service a mixed quartette will sing "Jesus, Saviour, Pilot Me," by Blount, and a male quartette will sing "It Is Well," by Bliss. The annual meeting and congregational supper of the church will be held on Wednesday evening at 6:15 o'clock in the schoolroom of the church.

AT CITY TEMPLE
DR. CLEM DAVIES
10 A.M.
"Faith in Self City and God"
7:30 P.M.
"Companionate Marriage"
(At the Royal)
LARGE BAND AND CHOIR
"Where Religion Cheers"

CENTRAL BAPTIST
WE PREACH CHRIST CRUCIFIED, CROWNED AND COMING
Services Held in EAGLES' HALL, Above B.C. Electric Showrooms, Corner of Douglas Street and Pandora Avenue
Pastor: J. B. ROWELL—Phone 2634Y
Morning Worship at 11 A.M.—"When the enemy shall come in like a flood, the Spirit of the Lord shall lift up a standard against him."
Sunday School and Bible Class at 2.30 P.M. All Welcome
Evening Gospel Service at 7.30 (Preceded by Rally for Prayer at 7 and Song Service at 7.15)
"IN THE TWINKLING OF AN EYE"
Christ speaks of the affairs of the world being carried on as usual when His coming shall break in on the daily routine, and "One shall be taken and another left." Scripture clearly teaches "We shall not all die but we shall all be changed." Is it true that millions now living may never die?

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
QUADRA AT MASON
REV. JAMES STRACHAN, Minister—Oliver R. Stout, Director of Music
11 A.M.—Morning Worship and Church School
"The Conquest From Within"
Solo, "Come Ye Blessed" (Prindle Scott), Mrs. Robert McIntosh
7:30 "A Question of Waste"
Mixed Quartette, "Jesus, Savior Pilot Me" (Blount)
Male Quartette, "It Is Well" (Bliss)
B.Y.P.U. Monday at 7.45
The Annual Meeting and Congregational Supper of the Church Will Take Place on Wednesday at 6.15 P.M.

Mother Kennedy
In Closing Services Today at the
Chamber of Commerce Auditorium
3 P.M.: "THE BREATH OF GOD"
7:30 P.M.: "LOVE'S GREAT TRIUMPH"
Do not fail to hear Mother Kennedy's parting messages. Come early and get a seat.
Sunday, 11 A.M.: Devotional at the Pentecostal Auditorium, Broad Street (Between Johnston and Yates). Next week at 8 P.M., Monday, Prayer Meeting; Wednesday and Friday, Evangelistic.
A. MUNRO, Pastor

The Salvation Army
Presentation of Five Silver-Plated Instruments
By Leading Citizens
FIRST UNITED CHURCH, THURSDAY, JAN. 19
8 P.M.
Chairman, Mr. Reginald Hayward, M.P.P.
MUSICAL PROGRAMME BY CITADEL BAND
Assisted by Local Talent
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Metropolitan United Church
Cor. QUADRA and PANDORA
Rev. W. J. Sipprell, D.D., Pastor—G. A. Dewnard, Choirmaster—E. Parsons, Organist
10 A.M.—Class Meetings
11 A.M.
"NEW THINGS IN A NEW YEAR"—Dr. Sipprell
Anthem, "Let God, Our God, Is Come" (Haynes). Solo: Mrs. E. Parsons
Solo, "Give" (Lehr), Mrs. F. Holmes (soprano)
3.30 P.M.—Sunday School Session
7.30 P.M.
"BUILDING A BETTER WORLD"—Dr. Sipprell
Anthem, "Great and Marvelous" (Baden)
Soprano Solo, "The Blind Ploughman" (Clarke), Miss M. Pearson
"Praise Waiteth for Thee in Zion"

Christendom the World Over

A Weekly Review of Religious News

All Paris has been arrested by the meteor-like career of Pere Sanson, whose preaching in Notre Dame Cathedral has been compared to that of Lacordaire and Savonarola. For three successive Lenten seasons the vast cathedral has been thronged day after day by vast congregations who were enthralled and conscience-stricken by the masterful and heart-searching preaching of this hitherto unknown priest. Pere Sanson addressed himself through a more modern avenue of thinking to the consciences of his hearers. He preached seated and read his sermons, but at the end of Lent of 1925, thousands of men flocked to a retreat for further instruction, and within twelve months one hundred thousand volumes of his sermons had been published, an unprecedented number for this type of reading. According to Rev. F. C. Spurr, in The Christian World, the preaching of Pere Sanson, who, as Mr. Spurr writes, has the power to "lay bare the consciences of men like a new John the Baptist," has been received unfavorably by his superiors of the Roman Catholic Church, with the result that he has resigned his post as special preacher and has gone or is going to Geneva. The inference that Mr. Spurr makes is that the Evangelist, if his own church can find no place for him, will find a home and a welcome elsewhere.

RELIGIOUS FREEDOM IN RUMANIA

The ban upon Protestant bodies, and especially the Baptists, which has prevailed in Rumania has been recently lifted, according to Dr. Rushbrooke, secretary of the Baptist World Alliance, who has been for some time making representations to the Rumanian Government looking toward religious freedom. The action of the Rumanian Government means that the conditions that prevailed in Hungary before the war will now be transferred to Rumania. "This ends," writes Dr. Rushbrooke, "the dismal administration, often egged on by the priests, who have been able, through the support, indifference and weakness of the central authority, to pester and bully, to beat and fine and imprison, to silence preachers, to forbid divine worship and conferences, to cripple the education of children, and even to refuse interment of the dead in the public cemeteries."

CHURCH UNION IN PERSIA

The latest theatre of the church union movement is Persia. In that country ninety per cent of the Christian missionary work is done by two societies, the Church Missionary Society of the Anglican Church and the Presbyterian Church in the United States. The southern half is cared for by the Anglicans who have formed a diocese of the native churches under the see of Canterbury, while a presbytery has been organized in the northern part. These two bodies and other smaller ones met two years ago in an All-Persia interchurch conference in which was discussed the formation of a united independent Church of Persia. At this Summer's conference decided action was taken. The joint conference is requesting independence of the Church in England on the part of the Anglicans and similar action for the Presbyterians in Persia. Interparticipation of both churches in future ordinations of ministers prior to the consummation of union, closer approach in forms of worship and a call to prayer were further resolved upon.

CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP IN CHINA

That Chinese Christians from all parts of China could come together in the annual meeting of the National Christian Council and find, after a year of such strain and unsettlement, a session of eight days full of a perfect sense of fellowship in which not a jarring note was struck, is adduced by a Shanghai correspondent of The British Weekly as a sign of the Chinese Christian character of the Chinese themselves and their effort towards unity. Two-thirds of the membership of the Council is Chinese and the thinking and leadership is largely Chinese, though foreign members take their part freely and naturally. As one member remarked, "We forget in the sessions whether people are Chinese or foreign, and scarcely ever think to what branch of the Christian Church one belongs."

The American Board of Missions, which has a large work in China, is likely to ask the American Government to arrange that its missionaries, who wish, should be given only such diplomatic protection as may be provided without the use or threat of military force. The Board will also seek such a revision of the existing treaties as shall contribute to better relations between the two countries.

NEWS FROM EVERY CONTINENT

In order to introduce good literature as well as the Bible to the people of Brazil, the Central Brazil Mission is following the example of Japanese Christians in newspaper evangelism. Under this plan small advertisements are inserted, offering to send Christian literature free to all who send name and address. During six months 370 requests had come in. Now that literacy is improving in South America good results may be looked for. If it be true, as a student of psychology has said, that the sixth sense of the Latin people is literature, the Brazilians and other South American people are likely to take kindly to this form of preaching the Gospel.

A New Testament in "pidgin English" is one of the possibilities of the not distant future. Administrators and missionaries in New Guinea are uniting in the project of making it an official language and the preparation of a dictionary and a grammar. Commenting on this item of news The Christian Century says that it will be remembered that Dante had to defend himself for using in a serious literary work the vulgar tongue which had already become the common medium of conversation.

In every tramcar in Budapest, according to The Scots Observer, and in every public place in Hungary are inscribed such words as these: I believe in One God; I believe in the unity of my country; I believe in One Eternal Justice; I believe in the resurrection of Hungary. In this way publicity is harnessed to the service of religion.

The teaching of the Koran to Mohammedan students is now compulsory in all schools in Persia, including mission schools. Reading of the Bible is not prohibited. The result in some instances has been that students declined to receive the Mohammedan priests and turned with great interest to Bible reading.

"IN THE TWINKLING OF AN EYE," THEME CENTRAL BAPTIST

This evening the pastor of the Central Baptist Church, J. B. Rowell, will speak on the fourth subject in the series on the Second Coming of Christ, viz., "In the Twinkling of an Eye." Our Lord speaks of the affairs of the world being carried on as usual when His coming shall break in on the daily routine like the lightning flash and "one shall be taken and another left." The pastor will deal with this momentous event and how it will happen that one shall be taken and another left. In the morning the pastor will speak on the Scripture, "When the enemy shall come in like a flood, the Spirit of the Lord shall lift up a standard against him."

The first church to be erected in the New Delhi, India, is the Free Church, which is the combined effort of Baptists and Wesleyans, Sir George Rainy, son of the late Principal Rainy, who opened the door with a silver key, declared that the church had not been erected for any particular nomenclature, and its doors were open to all who might enter in to worship God.

Although the Presbyterian Mission in India is named the Gwalior Mission, it is really situated at Jhansi, in the Upper Province. It was first intended to work in Gwalior Native State, but the Maharajah raised objections to obtaining a site in his territory.

The Presbyterian Record carries in each of its monthly issues a Gaelic message which he who runs may read, if he knows the language of the Highlands of Scotland and—so it has been claimed—of the Garden of Eden.

DR. WILSON PREACHES AT BOTH SERVICES AT FIRST UNITED

Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson will preach at the morning and evening services today at First United Church. The music to be rendered by the choir will be: Morning, anthem, "O, How Amiable Are Thy Courts" (Tours); solo, "The Holy City" (Stephen Adams), Miss Beth Simpson. Evening, anthem, "King of Kings" (Simper); solo, "He Lifteth Me" (Gerard), Mrs. W. H. Wilson.

Emmanuel Church Will Hold Annual Meeting Wednesday

The Rev. Henry Knox will speak on the subject, "Faithfulness," at the morning hour of worship today in Emmanuel Baptist Church. The choir will render the anthem, "Love the Lord" (Mozart). The evening anthem will be "Show Me Thy Ways, O Lord" (Roberts), and the pastor's message will be on the subject, "Outside the Kingdom. Why?" The annual business meeting of the church will be held in the schoolroom on Wednesday evening of this week. Supper, provided by the Ladies' Aid Society, will be served at 6:30 o'clock, and after the meal reports will be presented and the election of officers will take place.

Universal Church

At the Universal Church of Christ, S.O.E. Hall, 1216 Broad Street, the usual evangelistic service will be held at 7:30 p.m., preceded by a song service at 7:15 o'clock. Healing will be given at the close.

CENTRAL BUILDING IN UNITED STATES

General Pershing is heading a campaign to raise $6,800,000 for the Episcopal Cathedral at Washington which is in process of erection. The largest gift made for the cathedral from the initial contribution in 1898 was $550,000. The building of the women's transept, the third of the major units of the Episcopal Cathedral of St. John the Divine in New York, is now being erected. More than 1,500 women identified with the financing were present at the ground-breaking. Two-thirds of the million dollars required has already been raised.

ANGLICAN HEAD OF BAPTIST COLLEGE

The Canadian Baptist reproduces a news item from The Toronto Telegram which states that Des Moines, Iowa, University, the institution of higher learning of the Baptist Fundamentalists of this continent, will have as its head an Anglican vicar, Rev. Charles Fisher, M.A., recently vicar of St. John's, Harborne, England. He comes from the diocese of Dr. Barnes.

ST. ANDREW'S

The sermon topics at St. Andrew's Presbyterian today are: "Paul at Athens" in the morning service and in the evening "The Crown of Friendship."

The new book of Dr. E. Stanley Jones, author of "The Christ of the Indian Road," of which 105,000 copies have been sold in the British Isles alone, is entitled "The Christ of the Round Table," and will appear next month. It is an account of the conferences Dr. Jones has held with various East Indian groups in different parts of India.

Canadian Presbyterians carry on a motor car mission in Saskatchewan, where the missionary has organized twenty-seven Sabbath schools. He also conducts a Sabbath school by post. It is proposed to extend to other Provinces this system of reaching the neglected districts.

General Bramwell Booth, of the Salvation Army, was received by President Hindenburg during a visit to Germany.

Katherine Parr's "Small Book of Devotions" has been sold for £200. The book measures two inches by two inches, and is in Old English characters.

ANNUAL MEETING HELD

The annual meeting of the First Baptist Church choir was held last Thursday evening. A full and satisfactory report on the work of the choir during the past year was given by the secretary-treasurer, Mrs. A. J. Slater, after which a hearty vote of thanks was accorded the retiring officers of the choir. An election of officers for the present year was made, at which Mr. James Dinsmore was re-elected president; Mrs. R. McIntosh, vice-president; Mrs. A. J. Slater, secretary-treasurer, Mrs. O. R. Stout, librarian; Miss Edna Jones, convener of gowns committee; Miss Myrtle Steenson, convener of visiting committee, and Mr. W. G. Richardson, convener of membership committee.

SNOWSLIDE BLOCKS KASLO-NAKUSP LINE

NELSON, Jan. 14.—Owing to a large snowslide at Zincton, a point on the Kaslo and Nakusp branch which will require several days to clear, the railway service on that line until further notice will be in two sections, one train keeping the schedule between Sandon and Nakusp and another acting as a local between Kaslo and Zincton. The service between the main line and Nelson, by the Slocan route, will not be affected. It is possible that, as in some other Winters, the section where the slide is will have to be abandoned for the Winter.

GILBERT AS PROPHET

Another record of the late Sir W. S. Gilbert's power of foretelling the future is evidence of his seership, but not of the justness of his conclusions. Forty years ago, long ere our ears were gladdened by community singing, he wrote the following scrap of dialogue in "Ruddigore":

Mad Margaret: "But see, they come—Sir Despard and his evil crew! Hide, hide—they are all mad—quite mad!"

Rose: "What makes you think that?"

Mad Margaret: "Hush! They sing choruses in public. That's mad enough, I think!"

Comment would be, in every sense of the word, in[illegible]—Morning Post.

Poultry on the Farm

By R. C. GIBSON

A good profitable fowl is the Redcap, which, owing to the importation of so many other breeds, is decreasing in popularity except, perhaps, in Derbyshire, England; but twenty-five years ago it was very popular. However, it cannot be denied that this pretty fowl is second to none in useful and economical properties. Eggs are generally the first consideration with poultry keepers, and the Redcap will stand the closest scrutiny, for a good strain of hen will invariably lay 250 to 270 eggs per annum—equal to the precocious Mediterranean varieties—but the eggs are tinted and turn the scale at two and a half ounces. It quickly puts on flesh and carries a good quantity of meat with the smallest possible quantity of offal. The flavor of the meat of this fowl much resembles game—a good thing at all times of the year. Essentially a non-sitting breed, it is very hardy, and the pullets start laying at eighteen weeks, very often before that. In appearance, I may say, the Redcap somewhat resembles the Golden-Spangled Hamburg, but with a heavier comb, fully three inches across and about five inches long to the end of spikes. Face and lobes are red; plumage is similar to the old-fashioned Game, the neck hackle being very full and of a darker color; tail is full and flowing; legs, dark slate color and a trifle short. Ground color of both cock and hen is darkish brown and well marked with lustrous half-moons.

ISOLATION OF HENS

Notwithstanding the dissemination of instruction in aviculture, it is surprising to find in many poultry yards that cockerels and pullets are allowed to run together, not only to their disadvantage but also to the owner's, for it cannot be too widely known that when the separation of the sexes is not carried out both the cockerels and pullets suffer from loss of size and vigor, while the latter seldom obtain their proper quantity of food, and laying starts earlier, to the pullets' detriment. A far more satisfactory plan is to separate at about four months of age; and here I would state that, except where chicken rearing is desired, there is no need to keep a male bird at all. The hens or pullets lay just as well without a cock, and the eggs keep much longer without the germ. Adopting this plan, of course, reduces the poultry keeper's expenses considerably.

SUBSTITUTES FOR GREEN FOOD

Green food is very necessary for every form of stock, bird or animal. It contains the vital mineral salts and vitamins so essential to maintain life. In the case of fowls, it also helps in the coating of eggs with their shells and the production of "hatchable" eggs and "rearable" chicks. Unfortunately, a large number of poultry keepers are up against the difficulty that fresh green food—in the strict sense of the word—is hard to obtain at certain seasons, especially during these early days of the year. The question of a substitute is therefore one of paramount importance. Clover meal, or Lucerne meal, used as items in the mash, wet or dry, promptly suggest themselves to you. Yes, these are to a certain extent substitutes. Although, in the drying process, they have lost some of the important constituents present in the live plant, they still contain the above-mentioned mineral salts. It is their vitamin contents that have suffered; and, of course, they are no longer succulent and juicy. If, then, you are to have as nearly complete a substitute for fresh green food as it is possible to get, you have to supplement clover and lucerne meals with something else. For that "something else" there is nothing to equal roots, preferably swedes and mangolds. The dried meals provide the salts, the roots the vitamines and juices. How should roots be fed? They may either be cut into halves or quarters according to size, the segments being stuck onto nails driven into the walls of the scratching shed; or they may be sliced into finger pieces or chopped into small cubes. The former plan is the better because it involves less labor. As regards quantities, birds having no fresh green food need twenty per cent of clover meal or lucerne meal in their mash and swedes or mangolds at the rate of one good-sized root—measuring six inches across, say—a day among every twenty birds.

HOW TO CLIP A FOWL'S WINGS

When a poultry-keeper sets out to cure the flight habit of his light-breed pullets, the result, unfortunately, is often the indiscriminate cutting and mutilation of the bird's wings, which either does not have the desired effect or else ruins the appearance of the birds.

To clip a fowl's wings properly you must understand their composition. In an outstretched wing there is, first, on the outside, the primary or flight feathers, and next to these come what are known as the secondaries. The secondaries are what we see when the wing is folded to the body, not the flights. Therefore, when cutting the wing, the bird is given an unkempt appearance if one or two secondaries are removed. It is the flight feathers which must be cut. A great mistake is that of cutting the wing when closed. The wing should be opened to its full extent and a pair of sharp scissors used. Care should be taken not to cut the feathers too close to their base, or they will bleed. It is only necessary to cut one wing, for if you cut both you merely take away some of the bird's power of flight, not its capability to fly. You see, by cutting the feathers on the one wing the bird loses balance, falling over on one side as soon as it starts to fly. When both its wings are equally cut, it can still keep its balance.

TABLES FOR THE POULTRYMAN

When poultry food is sold by measure, the weight of the latter should always be ascertained by the buyer. The weight of an imperial bushel of the various foods should be as follows.

Wheat, British	63 lbs.
Dari	60 lbs.
Barley, British	56 lbs.
Barley Meal	42 lbs.
Maize Meal	47 lbs.
Middlings	32 lbs.
Potatoes	56 lbs.
Maize and Rye	60 lbs.
Oats, British	42 lbs.
Buckwheat	52 lbs.
Ground Oats	30 lbs.
Malt Culms	14 lbs.
Bran	17 lbs.

PERIODS OF INCUBATION

Hen	20 to 22 days
Duck	28 to 30 days
Goose	28 to 31 days
Turkey	28 to 30 days
Guinea Fowl	26 to 28 days
Pea Fowl	28 to 30 days

MATING POULTRY

Ducks—	
Heavy breeds	2 or 3 to 1 drake
Light breeds	3 or 4 to 1 drake
Hens, heavy	5 or 7 to 1 cock
Light	6 or 8 to 1 cock
Geese	2 or 3 to 1 gander
Turkeys	5 to 8 to 1 cock

In mating, it must always be borne in mind that the males differ considerably in constitutional vigor, and some may be more heavily mated than others. Male birds on unlimited runs may be given nearly twice as many hens as would suffice in confinement.

RUN ACCOMMODATION

Several correspondents have written to me lately to know how many fowls a plot of ground of so many feet by so many will accommodate without fear of tainting the soil. This is a question that is not very easy to answer satisfactorily, since it depends upon several circumstances, a knowledge of which is absolutely essential before a definite or satisfactory reply is possible. The nature of the soil has a very important bearing on the question, since a light sand soil can support a greater number of fowls than a clay or even a medium loam. The manure, in the first instance, passes quickly away, whereas in the latter case it remains upon the surface for a long time. The healthiness and vigor of the grass also help to determine the number of fowls the run will accommodate without tainting the ground, a thing that must be avoided at all costs, for foul soil is an almost inevitable forerunner of disease. If the run consists of bare earth, and no attempt is made to keep it in grass, it requires sweeping once or twice a week, in this manner removing the droppings. If they are allowed to lie about on the surface of the soil, as so frequently happens, they do the birds an infinite amount of harm, reducing the stamina and injuring the prolificacy of the hens. In the Spring and early Summer, when there is a great deal of growth in the soil, a grass run can carry double the number of fowls that it can during those months when vegetation is practically at a standstill. The only satisfactory method I know of determining how many fowls a run can accommodate is to keep a watchful eye upon the grass and upon the health of the birds. If bare patches are making their appearance, and if the fowls appear unhealthy, the number should be reduced immediately. As a rough guide to the man or woman with limited space, it may be stated that for the small, laying varieties, if they are to be permanently settled, the space per bird should be not less than three square yards of gravel run and, say, fifteen square yards should be the plot of grass. With a breed of the larger type more than ten should not be maintained on a piece of ground capable of safely carrying twenty non-sitters.

Keep everything dry and the birds working.

Sage Tea Turns Gray Hair Dark

By SHIRLEY BLAKE

That beautiful, even shade of dark, glossy hair can only be had by brewing a mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Your hair is your charm. It makes or mars the face. When it fades, turns gray or streaked, just an application or two of Sage and Sulphur enhances its appearance a hundredfold.

Don't bother to prepare the mixture. You can get this famous old recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, for only 75 cents, all ready for use. It is called Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound. This can always be depended upon to bring back the natural color and lustre of your hair.

Everybody uses "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound" now because it darkens so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied. You simply dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through the hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair has disappeared, and after another application it becomes beautifully dark and appears glossy and lustrous. (Advt.)

Presbyterial to Meet This Week

The annual meeting of Victoria Presbyterial will take place on January 18 and 19, at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. An open meeting will be held on Wednesday evening, beginning at 8 o'clock, to which any who are interested will be cordially welcomed. Addresses and music will be given. The business sessions will take place on Thursday, beginning at 10 a.m. and continuing until 5 p.m.

Native Sons of B.C.

The first 1928 meeting of Victoria Post No. 1, Native Sons of British Columbia, will take place next Wednesday evening, January 18, in the new hall of the Sons of England, Broad Street, commencing at 8 o'clock. The meeting of the Grand Post of the organization will be held in Victoria this year, and at Wednesday's session of the local post, matters in connection with the Grand Post convention will be considered.

LIQUOR CONTROL IN OLD COUNTRY MEETS WITH OPPOSITION

LONDON, Jan. 13.—The system of state liquor control which has been in force in the Carlisle area for some years, is being threatened. Protests against itse continuance have been received by the Home Secretary, Sir William Joynson-Hicks, from the Carlisle Conservative Association, which is seeking the support of similar associations in making this protest.

Briefly, the system in operation in Carlisle consists of the substitution of the "improved" type of inn for the old-time "pub." The chief features are that good food at reasonable prices is as available as is mere liquor, and the licencee's interest in the sales effected is confined to the eatables.

The local Conservative Association maintains that the continuance of the scheme is a form of nationalization which is contrary to Conservative principles, and a source of danger to the trading community throughout the whole country, since in the event of a Socialist government being returned to power it is feared the scheme would be extended to the whole country, and that such extension would entail the inauguration of factories for manufacture by the state, as well as the actual liquor itself. "As it exists in the Carlisle area today," the protest states, "it has already entered into unfair and unequal competition with private interests outside the liquor trade, whom it undercuts in price. Further, it competes with manufacturers of temperance beverages, some of whom it has already forced out of business.

Every other section of the trading community has suffered serious loss through the profits arising from the undertaking having been transferred to the national exchequer, and thus taken out of circulation in the district. These profits to date are estimated at approximately £1,000,000.

There is no attempt to deny that the scheme is deemed by its supporters to have proved completely successful. The present Home Secretary is a convinced temperance reformer, so whether the protest above indicated will receive much of his personal sympathy is problematical.

Found Guilty of Giving Poison Alcohol to Man

NELSON, Jan. 14.—James Allen was found guilty Friday in police court of having caused methyl hydrate or wood spirit to be taken by James O'Neil "so as to endanger O'Neil's life," after an all-day trial in which the accused conducted his own defence.

Dr. D. W. McKay, who treated O'Neil after his collapse, at the hospital, using emetic, stomach pump and hypodermic, testified that but for prompt attention the poison victim would probably have died.

Allen was sentenced to one year's imprisonment.

Wife—Did you post that letter I gave you?

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Plays and Players

"Valley of the Giants" Is Drama of Redwoods

Doris Kenyon Featured Opposite Milton Sills in Famous Peter B. Kyne Classic Faithfully Screened at Dominion This Week

Milton Sills, who has given some of the finest characterizations in the history of the motion picture, has one of his greatest roles in "The Valley of the Giants," which comes to the Capitol Theatre tomorrow.

Sills' portrayal of Bryce Cardigan, son of the pioneer lumber magnate in the picturization of Peter B. Kyne's great romance of the Big Trees, is one that stamps him as a consummate artist and one that will long be remembered.

"The Valley of the Giants" is a story set among the redwoods of California, with the colorful lumber industry as a background. In this environment Sills is perfectly at home, and his interpretation of Kyne's hero leaves nothing to be desired.

Playing opposite Sills in this picture is Doris Kenyon, who returns to the screen after a year's absence. Miss Kenyon is ideally cast as the sweetheart of young Cardigan, and does her usual faultless performance.

THE STAGE

On the stage this week, in addition to the big picture bill, are the Richardson Twins, two extremely versatile girl dancers, who appear in a dainty dance offering. The other big stage presentation introduces the Queen City Male Quartette, a very talented aggregation of soloists, who sing songs you like, in a decidedly likable way. This act will prove to be exceptionally good in the way of male quartettes, and they have been received very enthusiastically wherever they have appeared. They will appear twice daily at the Capitol Theatre and three times on Saturday.

Georges Enesco in Recital at Royal Friday, Jan. 20

A recital will be given by Georges Enesco, violinist, under the auspices of the Ladies' Musical Club on January 20 at the Royal Victoria Theatre at 8:30 p.m. Following is the programme:

"God Save the King"; Sonata in E Minor—"Ritornele," "Allegro," "Menuetto-Gavotta" "Giga" (Veracini); "Baal Schem," "Contrition," "Improvization," "Rejoicing" (E. Bloch); Sarabande et Tambourin in D (Leclair); "Caprice Viennois" (Kriesler); Habanera in A Minor (Sarasate); "Sonata" (Beethoven). Sanford Schlussel at the piano.

AMUSEMENTS

THE SCREEN

Capitol—Milton Sills in "The Valley of the Giants."

Columbia—"Beau Geste," with an all-star cast.

Dominion—"East Side, West Side," starring George O'Brien and Virginia Valli.

Variety—John Barrymore in "When a Man Loves."

THE STAGE

Playhouse—"The Bohemian Girl."

Coliseum—Vaudeville.

Crystal Garden—Swimming and dancing.

JOHN BARRYMORE IN FILM THRILLER

Absorbing Story Told in "When a Man Loves," Featured at Variety This Week

Even without its absorbing story and thrilling action, Warner Bros.' production of "When a Man Loves," starring John Barrymore, would be a great picture because of its sheer pictorial beauty.

Besides its many-sided appeal to the imagination it is an ever-changing delight to the eye. No expense was spared in the erection of the gigantic settings, perfect and realistic in every least detail. The costumes of a naturally colorful and decorative period are of unparalleled magnificence and variety. The photography of these by the master who filmed "The Sea Beast" and "Don Juan" accentuates them and suffuses them with a romantic glamour which enchants the mind and gives the spectator the illusion of utter reality.

"When a Man Loves," which shows at the Variety Theatre tomorrow, Tuesday and Wednesday, has as its setting the gay and dissolute Paris of Louis XV, when love and the chases were the chief occupations of the few and dire poverty the lot of the many.

All-star cast, as depicted in British film shown in conjunction with the stage attraction of "The Bohemian Girl," at the Playhouse Theatre, for three nights and a special matinee, commencing tomorrow evening at 8:30

COLUMBIA OFFERS 'BEAU GESTE' FILM

Mystery Story of French Foreign Legion With All Its Appeal Told on Screen Tomorrow

The French Foreign Legion, the endless, gorgeous, giant sand dunes of the Sahara, a famous missing sapphire, hundreds of desert warriors sweeping on horseback to attack a lonely fort manned by forty men, practically all in mutiny—there you have just a glimpse of the romance and thrills contained in "Beau Geste," which comes to the Columbia Theatre tomorrow for a run of three days.

No greater effort was ever put into the making of a motion picture. This romantic, thrilling screen mystery story, adapted from one of the most popular novels in years, represents a larger undertaking than even "The Ten Commandments," which was also produced by Paramount.

"Beau Geste" is a mystery story of the Foreign Legion on the deserts of Africa that will tighten your very skin with excitement.

Norma Wilks and Mark Hambourg in Recital Here Soon

Considerable interest in local music circles, particularly among the pianists, is sure to be aroused in the announcement that two such artists as Norman Wilks, the distinguished English pianist, and Mark Hambourg, so well known to the whole pianistic world, are to play here this season. Each will give a recital some time in March next. It will be remembered the distinct impression caused by Mr. Wilks in a recital given at Government House during his visit here last season, and Mark Hambourg is coming this way for a tour of Australia and New Zealand, and will embark on one of the Southern liners.

"Don't you think it would have been advisable to introduce this young man to your parents before becoming engaged to him?"

"Oh, that won't matter much, Dad. Willie says that however much he may dislike my people, he won't allow it to interfere with our engagement."

Negro Comedy Actor

Snowball Henry, one of the few negro actors in motion pictures, has a part in support of Bobby Vernon in the feature titled "Save the Pieces." As the janitor in the boarding house where Bobby fails to pay his rent, Snowball is counted upon to garner many of the laughs in this picture. He has a good role in another recent picture starring Jimmy Adams, called "Oh Mummy!"

Stately men of Denmark are just beginning to wear soft instead of stiff collars.

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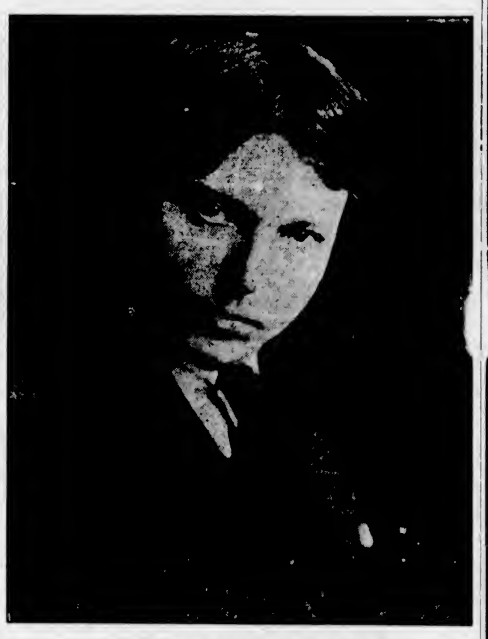

GEORGES ENESCO, VIOLINIST
Who will be heard at the Royal Theatre on the night of January 20, under the auspicies of The Ladies' Musical Club.

Recital by Pupils Of Miss Heming at Empress, February 3

At the coming recital to be given by the pupils of Miss Marian Heming some distinctly new features will be introduced. Six little children—Betty Webber, Peggy Higgs, Ruth Pringle, Valentine Harloch, Edwin Bucklin and Gilbert Schwabe—will interpret "A Children's Holiday," composed by Mr. J. D. Macey of this city. It is its first presentation and is still in manuscript form. It consists of six distinct piano numbers—all single notes without a chord in the composition—interspersed with dialogue. Another most attractive number will be that played by Miss Dorothy Morton, gold medallist at the recent Victoria Musical Festival. It is a "Cycle of Dickens" (composed by McMann), a description in music of four scenes in "Pickwick."

The instrumental part of the programme of the concert, which takes place in the Empress Hotel ballroom, Friday evening, February 3, will be varied by vocal solos by Mrs. Duncan McTavish and vocal duets by the Misses Verlie and Viola Johnstone.

"Lady of Victories" Shows in Technicolor

It is announced that the title under which the third of the series of six great events will be released is "The Lady of Victories," the great love drama of Napoleon and Josephine. This picture has been produced upder the working title of "Napoleon and Josephine" for release, as is the remainder of the series by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer. The cast includes Agnes Ayres as Josephine, Otto Matiesen as Napoleon and George Irving as Talleyrand. Direction is by R. William Neill and the screen story by Leon Abrams. M.-G.-M. has set the release of this two-reel feature for January 21.

Intriguing Contest Attracts Entrants At the Playhouse

Who has the prettiest ankles? This is the important question upon which Playhouse audiences will be invited to give a verdict Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week, when a prettiest ankle contest will be staged. An intriguing feature is that the contestants will remain anonymous during the competition, the silk clad extremities being seen below a curtain which will conceal the identity of the owners. The contest has already attracted a number of entrants, and those who wish to join in this novel contest and compete for one of the handsome prizes which are offered are invited to leave their names at the box office. The contest is inspired by the film which will be featured in the programme during the three days—a Fox production, "Ankles Preferred," which is described as an intimate story of silk stockings. Also on the same bill the management is presenting a really splendid vaudeville bill. Headlining is the world famous Professor Monkman, the mental marvel.

"King of Kings" No Longer Discussed

The criticism which raged in London during the preliminary showing of the film "King of Kings" has simmered down somewhat, now that it is definitely running at the Covent Garden Theatre. At any rate, it can be seen there and has ceased to feature in the papers. The first performance was shown to an audience of some 500 jurists, including seven bishops, whose opinions when interviewed were for the most part exceedingly noncommittal. Most of the professional critics deplore its exhibition, but the general opinion seems to be that while those who want to see it can do so, those who do not can abstain.

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IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT
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NEXT WEEK

Sinking of Titanic On Dominion Screen

"East Side, West Side" Has Realistic Shot of Great Disaster in Which Hero of Seas Stands by While Vessel Sinks

While Allan Dwan directed an exciting "abandon ship" sequence aboard the liner New York for the Fox screen version of Feilx Riesenberg's "East Side, West Side," showing at the Dominion Theatre tomorrow, the ship's captain, Karl Graalfs, was an interested spectator. In the scene that was being enacted, the ship has collided with an iceberg and the passengers take to the lifeboats.,

Heretofore Captain Graalfs has appeared in the role of rescuer. He was acclaimed a hero on February 1, 1926, when he directed the rescue in a storm in mid-ocean of the Dutch freighter Alkaid's crew. At that time he was commanding the liner Westphalia.

George O'Brien, who portrays the hero of "East Side, West Side," was on a bus driver's holiday. Although he was not included in the action, O'Brien went down to the ship with Feilx Riesenberg, author of the novel on which the picture is based, to watch Dwan directing the scene.

The scene is one of the most thrillingly realistic shots ever presented on the screen.

Orchestra and musical acts are featured this week. On the stage Jack and Ted Dale will present every matinee and evening during the entire week a unique musical act. These Hollywood boys are clever entertainers and are at present touring the theatre circuit. Victoria will welcome this opportunity of hearing them before they return to Los Angeles. Their act includes xyliophone solos and piano and singing numbers.

On Monday evening at 8:30 the Crystal Garden Orchestra will present another delightful programme of semi-classical and dance hits. This clever band of musicians is becoming more popular with Dominion patrons on their every appearance.

VIRGINIA VALLI, GEORGE O'BRIEN AND J. FARRELL MACDONALD
In "East Side, West Side," the William Fox Attraction at the Dominion Theatre This Week.

TWO BIG FILMS ON COLISEUM SCREEN

Wells' "Marriage" and Constance Talmadge in "Breakfast at Sunrise" Showing All Week

"Marriage," an absorbing story of the fusion of two widely-opposing human chemicals in the great melting pot of marriage, with Virginia Valli in the featured role, comes to the Coliseum Theatre tomorrow for a week's run.

This exceptionally powerful drama is adapted from the widely read novel by H. G. Wells. In it he tears the veil from marriage as only he could write about such a subject, and it is said that the picture is every bit as fascinating as the book itself.

In "Breakfast at Sunrise," which is also on the Coliseum screen this week, Constance Talmadge employs the green-eyed monster, jealousy, in a futile attempt to regain the affections of her first love.

She fails because jealousy isn't the proper food to feed a man who doesn't care.

"Breakfast at Sunrise" is an amusing farce of sophisticated Paris.

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Seymour Hicks Troup to Offer Productions Not Seen Here Hitherto

The forthcoming tour of Canada by Seymour Hicks will introduce to theatregoers throughout the Dominion several comedies not seen before. Among them are: "Mr. What's His Name," "Sleeping Partners" and "The Man in Dress Clothes"—all clever adaptations from the French, specially made for production by Mr. Hicks.

The announcement that Mr. Hicks will be accompanied on this tour by the beautiful Ellaline Terriss, famed for her loveliness and the charm of her art, has been received with great satisfaction by many people to whom her work and fame are well known. Mr. Hicks' company, which he is bringing to the Dominion intact from his London theatre, represents the British high comedy stage at its best.

The Wife: "They made me furious at the club meeting. But I told them what was what, and believe me, I was outspoken, too."

Her Hubby: "By whom?"

To a well-known bishop a wealthy woman complained that her domestics showed a strange indifference to their fate in the next world.

"I don't think they care whether they go to Heaven or not," she said.

"I suppose you have assured them of your hope to be there?" asked the bishop.

"Assuredly," came the confident answer.

"Do you not think that may be the precise reason for their indifference?"

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GREAT UPHEAVAL ON DE MILLE LOT

Sudden Eruption at Hollywood Allegedly Leaves Several Actors Without Visible Contracts

According to telegraphic report from the Coast, there was an earthquake at the DeMille studio at the New Year and in the course of the eruption no less than a dozen players were shaken up and their contracts blown away, says The New York Telegraph. Thus when the New Year started and production activity begins, the following players will be conspicuous by their absence on the DeMille lot: Vera Reynolds, Frank Marion, Sally Rand, Lena Malena, Ivan Lebedeff and May Robson. Leslie Mason, editorial supervisor; Walter Woods, assistant producer, and Directors E. Mason Hopper, Donald Crisp, William K. Howard and Lois Weber are also reported through.

Out of all this upheaval, it is the dismissal of Vera Reynolds that comes as the greatest shock. It was a little less than four years ago that DeMille cast this young player for the feminine lead in his super Paramount production, "Feet of Clay," and hailed her as the greatest screen discovery of years. When DeMille left Paramount to join up with Pathe Miss Reynolds also aligned herself with the new organization and has been a featured player on that lot ever since. Her latest release, "Walking Back," was in the midst of production when, due to some difficulty with the director, Rupert Julian, work was suspended and Miss Reynold's contract cancelled.

DORIS KENYON
In "The Valley of the Giants," which is the screen attraction at the Capitol Theatre this week

"Confetti" Praised

Critics of the trade and lay press of Great Britain were unanimous in their praises of "Confetti," First National's first British-made production, at the premier showing of the film at Mayfair Hotel, London. The press generally reported "Confetti" as "brilliantly pictorial," with "superb setting" and "outstanding individual performances."

WIDEN BRITISH FILMS' MARKET

First National Pathe Company Formed in London to Secure Wider Distribution

An agreement has been entered into between First National Pictures, Limited, and Messrs. Pathe Freres Cinema, Limited, whereby the distribution of their films will hereafter be made through one organization, to be known as First National Pathe, Limited, says The London Times. The agreement also provides for the production of British films in this country and arrangements are being made to take over a large studio and begin production at an early date.

This fusion of interests, it is claimed, will allow of a world-wide distribution of British films and ensure that British films will be shown not only in Great Britain, but also in the United States and in other countries throughout the world. The new company will distribute about sixty "feature" films, and The Pathe Gazette, Pathe Pictorial and Eve's Film Review, together with short comedies and other films.

Arbuckle Afterpiece

Roscoe "Fatty" Arbuckle appeared "in person" as the headline vaudeville attraction at Loew's Metropolitan during Christmas week. Other actors in an afterpiece with the film comedian included Burns and Kane, George Shelton & Company, Lydia Harris, Harry Hayden & Company and the Kitaro Japs.

Mrs. Brown: "We're going to the Isle of Wight, and what do you think my maid says? She says the climate there is not 'embracing' enough."

Mrs. Jones: "Ah, I see; you should try her with the Isle of Man."

Elks Will Convene

The annual meeting of Victoria Lodge No. 2, Benevolent Protective Order of Elks, will be held next Thursday night, January 19, in the Elks' Hall, Weller Block, Douglas Street. The election of the 1928 officers will be one of the principal matters of business to be transacted.

RECIPE FOR TRAGEDY

Take one reckless, natural-born fool; two or three big drinks of bad liquor; a fast, high-powered motor car. Soak the fool in the liquor, place him in the car, and let him go. After due time, remove from wreckage, place in black satin-lined box, and garnish with flowers.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday

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COMEDY AND NEWS

PLAYHOUSE

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WARNER BROS. present

JOHN BARRYMORE in "WHEN A MAN LOVES"

A WARNER BROS. PRODUCTION

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The King had sought her as his mistress, but she turned again—all flame and loveliness—to Des Grieux, whose passion for her had wrecked his brilliant career. To love her meant disaster—and intoxicating joy.

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VARIETY

COMING THURSDAY: MILTON SILLS in 'FRAMED'

Health and Diet Advice

By DR. FRANK McCOY

DIET A POTENT FACTOR IN EVERY DISEASE

While health is a natural condition of the body, it is, nevertheless, true there are very few persons who can truly say that they are enjoying perfect health.

It is folly for one to look outside of himself to find the cause of any disorder. One is not sick because he does not read a certain book, or because he doesn't take pills, or have an operation; but he is sick because he has lived a certain way!

Any child can understand that the body is made out of what we eat and drink. Mistakes, like eating the wrong things, eating too much, and improperly combining our foods, are the greatest causes of disease, and physicians who do not prescribe a definite diet for each individual patient are either careless or ignorant.

In order to show you how diet plays such an important part in causing and curing disease, I am going to give you a series of short articles in which I will run down over an alphabetical list of the different disorders and explain how food is a potent factor in the cause of every disease. We will start first with acne and continue through to zymosis.

Acne is a skin ailment manifested by blackheads and pimples appearing mostly on the face and back, and the principal cause is from using too much greasy or sugar food. The body attempts to eliminate these excesses through the skin, and some of the two and a half million pores become stopped up, producing an unsightly skin which can never be cleared up until fatty and sugar foods are reduced to the minimum for the needs of the system.

Anaemia is a disorder caused by iron and oxygen starvation, and this is in turn caused by a deficiency in the diet of the vital green vegetables and using too large a quantity of devitalized foods, such as white flour products, which rob the blood of the necessary organic minerals. The patient with this disease is often overweight, because of using food of wrong quality.

Appendicitis is brought on by colitis or intestinal irritation, due to chronic constipation from faulty dietetic habits.

Asthma is characterized by difficult breathing which is produced by catarrh from mucus-forming foods, and by excessive gas pressure against the diaphragm from excessive food fermentation.

Auto-toxemia is a sort of blanket name for general toxemia created by various dietetic indiscretions, and often called the "Mother of all disease."

Biliousness is a common complaint produced by using more food than the system can convert into useful tissues. Any "heavy" food used in excess may be the agency for the production of a torpid liver.

Bladder troubles are caused mostly by irritating substances in the urine which come from irritating food by-products, and hyperacidity created by wrong food combinations.

Blood pressure—too high or too low. If the blood pressure is too high it is because of too much arterial tension, and often the result of hardening of the arteries with calcareous deposits from using too many foods rich in lime. With low blood pressure an opposite condition exists, or flabby arteries from lack of sufficient organic minerals, which can be derived solely from the proper food containing these elements. Those in good health will have a normal blood pressure of from 120 to 130 millimeters.

To be continued on Tuesday.

Correspondents wishing to communicate with Dr. McCoy are advised that his address is Builders Exchange Building, Los Angeles, California, U.S.A.

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Vancouver Island News

LEADER HEARD ON GALIANO

HON. DR. TOLMIE GIVES INSPIRING ADDRESS TO A BIG GATHERING

Stresses Need of Encouraging and Developing Natural Resources of Province

Nearly every family resident on the southern end of Galiano Island was represented in a gathering at the Galiano Hall on Wednesday evening, under the auspices of the Galiano Island Conservative Association, to hear Hon. Dr. S. F. Tolmie, M.P., speak. The chair was taken at 8:30 o'clock by Mr. A. E. Scoones, president of the local association, who, in introducing the speaker, referred to the much regretted fact that, owing to the serious illness of his mother, Colonel C. W. Peck, V.C., member for the Islands constituency, was unable to be present, having been hastily summoned to Vancouver.

Dr. Tolmie in his address referred at the outset to two most important things which had taken place recently for the Conservative party, the selection of a leader at the convention at Kamloops when he, much against his personal desire and inclination, was finally prevailed upon to accept the leadership, and the selection of the Hon. R. B. Bennett as leader of the Conservative party in Federal politics. Dr. Tolmie paid a very high tribute to Mr. Bennett, a man who is thoroughly versed in conditions as touching Western Canada and of unimpeachable character, both in public and private life.

Dr. Tolmie then went on to state that he was a native son of British Columbia, wanted to see this great province prosper in the best possible manner. Criticism he most certainly had to give with regard to the present Government's administration of our public affairs and clearly showed the tremendous excesses in expenditure over estimates through loose business methods.

A BIG PROBLEM

He spoke of the greatest problem which had to be faced today, namely, what are our young men and women to do? "If there is, and has been, such a wonderful time of prosperity, why this exodous of our native sons and daughters? Why is it that in five years no less than eight millions of dollars have been written off for unpaid taxes?" he asked.

"It will be our aim," he said, "if returned to power in the administration of the public affairs in this province to find employment for our young people at home. We will give the closest attention to the matter of the distribution of our products and the development of agriculture wherein we have an assured market. Seventy-five per cent of all the meat required for British Columbia comes from outside the province; 279,000 dozens of eggs were brought into the province for consumption last year which could have been produced at home; likewise, seven and a half million pounds of butter and three million pounds of vegetables. We should produce our own food supplies whenever possible and so provide work upon the land. Flower seeds and bulbs as well as potatoes can be grown to perfection in British Columbia, and these industries greatly developed. The growing of tobacco is being carried on to some extent and can be developed. Already preference has been given by the British Government to our home-grown tobacco. All co-operative enterprises should receive every encouragement from the Government and a close watch kept upon our markets which should be protected from being swamped by the produce of the United States. Look," said Dr. Tolmie, "at the wonderful natural resources of this province of ours, our timber, our mineral wealth, our fisheries.

FUR FARMING

"Fur farming is a rapidly developing industry in British Columbia as a branch of animal husbandry. One of the policies to be adopted by the Conservative party if returned to power at the next election will be a vigorous effort to encourage all industries within the province and so provide work enough for all of our people at home." The speaker referred to the power the women had in British Columbia today and recalled the truth contained in Lord Dewar's remark when he stated: "The women of today are showing much more backbone than they did in the past."

At the close of Dr. Tolmie's able speech there was loud applause, and a very hearty vote of thanks was unanimously accorded. Refreshments were then served by the following ladies: Mrs. Bellhouse, Mrs. Lord, Mrs. Miller Higgs and Mrs. S. Page.

A very enjoyable dance followed, attended by quite a number from neighboring islands.

Wounded Cougar Mauls Dog Badly

CUMBERLAND, Jan. 14.—M. Brown, colored man of Cumberland, severely wounded a cougar on Perseverance Trail, just behind No. 6 Mine, Cumberland, and close to the city limits, at 6 a.m. yesterday.

Brown was out hunting cougar accompanied by his Airedale dog. When the big cat fell wounded the dog attacked the animal furiously, grabbing him by the throat. The cougar managed to get the dog by the front leg, almost gnawing it off. The Airedale was game and refused to loose his hold. Fearing for the safety of his dog, Brown calmly walked up to the wounded animal, and, not having a club handy, kicked it in the head until it loosed its hold of the dog. It was only a matter of a few moments then before the cougar, measuring a little over six feet, was dispatched. The dog suffered terribly, and while an effort is being made to save the injured leg, Mr. Brown is of the opinion that it will have to be amputated.

NEW BREWERY READY TO OPEN

MODERN PLANT INSTALLED ON THE SITE OF FORMER BUSINESS

Will Start Producing High Grade Beer at Nanaimo in Near Future

NANAIMO, Jan. 14.—The Empire Brewery Company, a newly-formed company, is just about ready to begin the making of beer here. This company has secured the site and premises of what was formerly known as the Empire Brewery, and has made extensive alterations to allow the installation of a modern brewing plant, in which is included two ice machines in its cooling cellars, and over 14,000 feet of refrigerator pipes. The installation of the plant has been carried out under the supervision of Mr. J. M. Dirnberger, who has had many years' experience in the manufacture of high quality brewery products. According to Mr. George Slater, president of the company, of Vancouver, who was in the city yesterday, this most modern brewery will commence the brewing of a superior beer in the course of a few days.

CHURCH MEETING VERY SATISFACTORY

St. Andrew's United at Alberni, Has Excellent Year, Financially and Otherwise

ALBERNI, Jan. 14.—At the annual meeting of St. Andrew's United Church, held on Tuesday, Rev. A. MacLean presiding, very satisfactory reports were submitted by the various organizations. On behalf of the Ladies' Aid, Mrs. Milligan reported that they had raised some $300 during the year, had been instrumental in getting the roof of the manse reshingled, and had assisted in obtaining rubber mats for the church. Miss A. Forrest, reporting on Sunday school activities, stated that there were now sixty-seven children enrolled and efforts of the Sunday school had netted $150. Mrs. D. Parker, on behalf of the Women's Missionary Society, stated a very successful year had been experienced. Miss J. MacEachren, representative of the Canadian Girls in Training, reported good work, including two bales of clothing forwarded to The Province Santa Claus Fund, for which Mr. C. J. Spratt kindly defrayed the express charges.

The following were elected managers for the ensuing year: Mrs. G. Lundline, Messrs. N. MacEachren, P. Ramsay, T. S. Grieve, Jr., E. Stephenson. The trustees elected were: Captain G. A. Huff, Messrs. Hy. Hills and Charles Taylor. At a future date the congregation will elect two deacons to replace Messrs. J. Hills and H. B. Currie. The managers' report showed the finances to be in good standing, with a small credit balance, in fact, 1927 was the best financial year experienced since 1915.

OFFICERS INSTALLED

NANAIMO, Jan. 14.—At a meeting of Court Pride Juvenile Foresters held last evening, the following girl officers were installed by Sister Woolett: C.R., Sister Reid; S.C.R., Sister Holliday; S.W., Sister Caster; J.W., Sister P. Wollett; J.B., Sister Arnold; assistant secretary, E. Wheeler.

MEETING CANCELLED

The regular meeting of the Young People's Society of the South Saanich United Church, which was to have been held on Tuesday evening, January 16, has been cancelled. The next meeting, therefore, will be held on Tuesday evening, February 7.

BOOMING AGAIN

COWICHAN BAY, Jan. 14.—The Cowichan Booming Association has again started operations after a three weeks' shutdown. Two and three trains a day are dumping logs and the crew is gradually returning to work.

BRENTWOOD, Jan. 14.—A series of home nursing classes will be conducted by Miss Lyne, of the Saanich Health Centre, in the hall on Tuesday afternoon, January 17, and every Monday thereafter. Anyone desirous of taking these lessons is given a cordial invitation to attend.

COMMITTED TO SPRING ASSIZE

CHEN MEE IS CHARGED WITH MURDER BEFORE CUMBERLAND MAGISTRATE

No Witnesses Called for Defence at Preliminary Hearing of Accused

CUMBERLAND, Jan. 14.—Chen Mee, charged with the murder of Chang Fong Mun at the Pekin Chop Suey House, Chinatown, Cumberland, was yesterday brought before Stipendiary Magistrate J. Conway.

Mr. R. Strachan, surveyor, and Mr. Norbert Schwartz, told of plans and photographs which were exhibited.

Dr. G. K. McNaughton, who was called to the scene of the tragedy on the night of the murder, was the first witness, and gave evidence similar to that given at he inquest.

Several witnesses were examined, the evidence in all cases being the same as given at the coroner's inquiry. No witnesses were called for the accused, who said he had nothing to say.

After all witnesses had been examined, Chen Mee was committed to the Nanaimo Spring assizes for trial, charged with the murder of Chang Fong Mun.

Young People Busy Polishing Up Parts In Three-Act Farce

KEATING, Jan. 14.—The members of the Young People's Society of the South Saanich United Church, are busy putting the finishing touches on their annual play, which this year will take the form of a three-act comedy farce entitled "Safety First." The majority of the players have taken part in the two previous plays, "Deacon Dubbs," and "All on Account of Polly," presented by the society under the direction of Rev. M. Lees, who is also directing the present one, and promise a performance well worth seeing. The situations in the play are extremely well thought out and promise plenty of excitement as well as high class comedy. The dates on which the play will be presented are as follows: Colwood Hall on Friday evening, January 20; Temperance Hall, Keating, on Tuesday evening, January 24; Royal Oak Hall on Thursday evening, January 26, and Sidney on Tuesday evening, January 31.

FARMERS' INSTITUTE

KEATING, Jan. 14.—The South Saanich Farmers' Institute will meet in Temperance Hall at 8 o'clock for the first regular meeting of the year on Thursday evening, January 19.

THE FIRST SNAKE

COWICHAN BAY, Jan. 14.—While working in the garden at Cowichan Bay yesterday, Wallace Coutts killed the first snake of the season.

NEW REALTY FIRM IS ESTABLISHED

Messrs. Grant and Hope, Well Known Business Men, Commence Separate Connection

A new firm, Messrs. Grant & Hope, handling all kinds of insurance, real estate and related lines of business, will open in the city tomorrow at 642 Fort Street. The members of this firm are well known in the city, and will require no introduction. They are Mr. George C. Grant and Mr. T. Hope. Both of them have experience in office work and are well qualified to carry on the business to which they are now turning their attention.

Possessing an abounding faith in the future of the city of Victoria, the members of the firm reached the conclusion that there was abundant scope along the line in which they are now interesting themselves. It is their opinion that the city of Victoria and the adjoining territory is ripe for marked development and they have decided to throw in their lot in the furthering of this end.

The senior member of the firm, Mr. Grant, has been actively engaged for the past twenty years in the banking business. Originally a member of the staff of the Merchants' Bank of Canada, he was subsequently a member of the staff of the Bank of Montreal since the union of these two institutions. For the past fifteen years he has occupied positions of trust with the banks, and his advice should be of value to his clients, and will be readily placed at their disposal in matters relating to investments.

Mr. Grant, at the outbreak of the war, left with the original unit of infantry that went from Victoria. He served in France, where he was wounded, and later taken prisoner and held as such until released after the Armistice.

He has been well known in athletic circles in the city in practically every line of sport, including Rugby, cricket, hockey and tennis.

Mr. Hope has resided in the city for twenty years, and is very favorably known among the younger men in the city. He is a son of Mr. H. P. Hope, headmaster of Brentwood College. Mr Hope served in the R.A.F. during the war and is also well known in atiletic circles while in addition he has a host of friends in a social way.

Burns Club Meeting

On Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock, the Burns Club will hold its monthly meeting in the Chamber of Commerce. Rev. R Connell will give an address. Mr. Hosie, club president, will make an announcement regarding the Burns anniversary dinner to be held on Wednesday evening, January 25. Tickets for this may be obtained from members of the executive committee. During the meeting on Tuesday next refreshments will be served.

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—Mantles, 1st Floor

Silk Afternoon Dresses

On Sale Monday for

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Large selection of Crepe Satin Afternoon Frocks in one-piece styles with tucks, contrasting colors, rhinestone buckles, embroidery, fancy braids and buttons, and vestees of tucked georgette as trimming. Choice of coffee, rust, saxe blue, cinnamon, rose and navy shades and black. Sizes 16 to 42. Specially priced for January Sale at **$10.90**

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Corselettes of strong striped batiste, with well-shaped abdominal band inside, made long over the hips, with sections of elastic in sides, well boned down back, and hooked at the side; six hose supporters. The right garment for the heavy figure. Priced at **$7.50**

With plain or silk top.

—Corsets, 1st Floor

WOMEN'S RAYON SILK GOWNS EACH, $2.25

Gowns of good quality rayon, tailored finish, with round neck and sleeveless. Such pretty shades as peach, orchid, Nile, sunset, flesh and maize to choose from. Good value at **$2.25**

—Whitewear, 1st Floor

Children's and Girls' Beacon Cloth Kimonos

On Sale Monday

Beacon Cloth Kimonos for the ages of 2 to 8 years. Colors blue, fawn and mauve. Very neatly made, and finished with collar and girdle. Each **$1.25**

Girls' Kimonos of colored beacon cloth, a heavy fabric and in several shades. Sizes for 2 to 16 years; finished with girdle and pockets. Regular, each, $2.95, for **$2.50**

Beacon Cloth Kimonos for the ages of 8 to 10 years. Value $4.95. On sale for **$3.95**

—Children's, 1st Floor

Women's Large Size Bloomers, a Pair, 79c

Women's Fleeced Cotton Bloomers, with rayon silk stripe; peach and pink. Size 44. A pair ..... **79¢**

—1st Floor

Women's Rayon Bloomers, 89c

Rayon Bloomers, shades white, coral, green, peach, June rose and ashes of roses; small, medium and large sizes. On sale, a pair ..... **89¢**

—Knit Underwear, 1st Floor

Women's Wool Cashmere Hose at 59c and 79c

Wool Cashmere Hose of good quality, regular 75c a pair; made with three-ply heel and double sole, and shown in brown only. On sale for ..... **59¢**

Full Fashioned Wool Cashmere Hose, seamless knit, with reinforced heel and toe; brown shade only. January Sale Bargain at ..... **79¢**

—Hosiery, Main Floor

Boys' "Diamond Knee" Worsted Hose

Regular 98c and $1.25 a Pair, for **50c**

Exceptionally Strong-Wearing Hose of high-grade wool, knit in 2-and-1 rib. Regular 98c and $1.25 a pair. On sale for ..... **50¢**

—Hosiery, Main Floor

Table Oilcloths and Squares

January Sale Bargains

Light Ground Fancy and Plain White Table Oilcloth. Lengths 1, 1½ and 2 yards. Regular a yard, 55c, for **45¢**

Oilcloth Table Squares, light grounds with colored patterns. Size 54 x 54 inches. Regular price, $1.25. On sale, each ..... **79¢**

—Staple Dept., Main Floor

4-Inch Moufflon

Regular $9.50 a Yard; On Sale for $5.75

Lovely Soft Moufflon Fur, in beige, brown and white, and light grey and white. Regular $9.50 a yard. On sale for **$5.75**

—Neckwear, Main Floor

Dimities and Voiles

Regular a Yard, 69c, for 39c

A selection of Fine Dimities and Voiles, suitable for women's dresses or for dainty curtains. Fast colors; popular shades. On sale, a yard ..... **39¢**

—Wash Goods, Main Floor

Fine Shirtings

On Sale, a Yard, 23c

Shirtings patterned with stripes on a white ground. Stripes of blue, black, mauve, etc. Regular price, 39c a yard. Reduced to clear for ..... **23¢**

—Wash Goods, Main Floor

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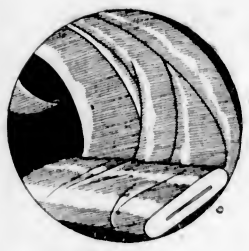
The remainder of our Catalina Felt and Velour Hats, many of which could be worn successfully for Early Spring, reduced to clear Monday.

Felts, regular $10.00, for **$3.98**

Velours, regular $16.50, for **$5.98**

—Millinery, 1st Floor



Silks

Two Bargains for Monday

36-Inch Black Duchesse, heavy quality with a rich sheen, for dresses, etc. Gives wonderful service. On sale, a yard, **$1.29**

36-Inch Heavy Spun Silk, all-silk quality; wears and launders beautifully. Shown in ivory, black, Copenhagen, Nile, brown, grey, lemon, mauve, lavender, rose and peach. On sale, a yard **$1.98**

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—Silks, Main Floor

Men's Fine Shirts

Two Good Values Monday

Guaranteed Broadcloth Shirts (Tooke Brand), colors and white, with separate collars to match; sleeve lengths to suit all. On sale, each **$2.50**

Extra Collars to match, each, **35¢**
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Medium size, each ..... **35¢**

Large size, each ..... **50¢**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Opaque Cloth Window Shades

Bargains Monday for 79c and 89c

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"Zyxt" is a very old Kentish word, meaning thou seest. Other words in the last volume include "wush," meaning to make a soft rushing sound; "wife," meaning to wave, to swing; "Whutter," the sound of flapping wings; "woop," meaning a convulsive sobbing, and "zooid," which is something resembling an animal but not one.

The making of the Oxford dictionary is one of the romances of English literature. Before its vast scope it is declared that Dr. Samuel Johnson's effort pales into insignificance. It is asserted that it will be the most complete authority on the meaning and derivation of English words in existence.

Two of its editors have died since the work was commenced. Sir James Murray, who began it, and Dr. Henry Bradley, who worked on it continuously for twenty-seven years. It has cost $250,000 to produce, part of which has been raised by public subscription.

The present editors of the dictionary are Dr. W. A. Craigie and C. T. Onions. Dr. Craige was Professor of English at the University of Chicago and acquired an American background, which is likely to be of great importance in regard to the popularity of the dictionary in the United States.

"The time for any prejudice against 'Americanisms,' is past," he said recently. "They have already proved their value as additions to the English tongue wherever it is used. It is in phrases made up of common nouns and verbs that the inventive genius of the American tongue most displays itself.

"No doubt many of these might be described as slang, but they have a way of rising out of this character and taking their place in serious discourse and writing."

FINE GEM GIVEN TO YORK MINSTER

American Woman Bequeaths 32-Carat Diamond and Chalice to Famous Cathedral

An unusual gift of a diamond of great value to York Minster at the time of the 1,300th anniversary celebrations last Summer has just been made public. The donor was an American lady, Mrs. Howes, of Brewster, New York State, who has since died, and the gift was made on her behalf by her niece, Miss Forepaugh, who visited the Minster authorities and made the offer. An assessor was present at the interview and found the diamond was thirty-two carats, and gave an estimate of the value which surprised the authorities.

On accordance with the wish of Mrs. Howes that the diamond might be used in some tangible form, she also presented a chalice and paten of silver-gilt, which were purchased from a York goldsmith, who set the diamond in the chalice. The Minster authorities had little information about Mrs. Howes, who, it has since transpired, was the widow of a partner in the American circus of Howes and Cushing, and was at one time an equestrienne and traveled all over America with the circus, buying land in various States, which was the foundation of her fortune. She was a devoted churchgoer, and belonged to a family which hailed from the Norwich district.

NOVEL PLEA HEARD

Woman Who Was Robbed Aids Convicted Man in Securing Bail on Appeal

There was an unusual sequel at Marlborough Street recently to the imprisonment of a waiter accused of stealing at the Montmartre Club a diamond bracelet worth £4,500 belonging to Mrs. Margot Bendir, which the waiter had picked up and retained. Mrs. Bendir at the trial appealed for leniency for the waiter, who was sent to prison for two months in the second division. Mr. Harry Myers, solicitor, "on behalf of Mrs. Bendir and her friends who are supporting an appeal against the sentence," now asked the magistrate to fix recognisances for the purpose of an appeal against the sentence. Mr. Cancellor agreed and fixed bail at £40, two sureties being accepted.

"President" Resigns

Mr. Art O'Connor, the so-called "President of the Irish Republic," is about to resign, it is stated. He succeeded Mr. De Valera in 1926 when the latter founded the Fianna Fail Party and broke away from the extreme Republicans.

HABITANT RECORDS

Births in Three British Families Would Do Credit to Average French-Canadian Entourage

In a recent issue The London Mirror drew attention to the fact that the wife of a casual dock laborer living at Camberwell had given birth to twins three times in succession in two years and nine months. It is now stated that Mrs. Howell, of Bridgenorth Road, Compton, Wolverhampton, is the mother of twenty-six children, including five sets of twins and two sets of triplets. One set of the triplets and two girls of the second set died, but the remainder are alive. The father is a carter in the employ of the L.M.S. Railway. These records compare favorably with the extensive families raised in some parts of French Canada.

"It takes us back to the days of the patriarchs," commented Judge Staveley Hill, when a defendant, at Northampton County Court, stated that he was the father of thirty children, twenty-nine of whom were girls. Four, he added, were still dependent on him. It is an extraordinary tale, and probably constitutes a record for that district. The father stated that he suffered from heart disease.

NIGERIA MAKES BIG PROGRESS

Contracts for $5,000,000 Bridge in Railway Extension to Open Fertile Country to Settlements

750,000-BALE CROP OF COTTON LIKELY

The placing of the contract for a railway bridge nearly half a mile long, to span the Benue River in Nigeria, opens new possibilities in a fast-developing tropical British colony of great natural productiveness with 18,000,000 black inhabitants.

The bridge is to enable produce to be conveyed by rail without breaking bulk from the interior nearly 600 miles to the sea at Port Harcourt.

The total length of the bridge between abutments will be 2,584 feet. The violence of the floods it will have to withstand may be judged from the fact that there is a difference of nearly thirty feet between dry and rainy season water levels in the river.

The contract has been awarded to the well-known engineering firm of Sir William Arrol & Company, Ltd., the price being just under £1,000,000.

The bridge is part of a progressive scheme of transport development upon which the Nigerian Government has embarked. Nigeria now has two main lines of railway. One is from the port of Lagos to Kano, 705 miles distant, and has been open some twenty years. The other starts from Port Harcourt and has only recently been completed. It extends 593 miles into the interior. Both are fed by motor roads and a scheme is in operation whereby an additional 150 miles of railway and 400 miles of motor road are to be constructed each year.

In 1925 Nigeria produced 48,000 bales of raw cotton. Sir Graeme Thomson, the Governor, in a recent speech mentioned 750,000 bales as a total he hoped eventually to see approached.

DEAN INGE'S IDEA

Declares Gospels Written on Human Heart and Not in Book of Religion

"Christ never wrote or dictated a single word of his message, except when he stooped down and traced it in the unrecordable earth," said Dean Inge at Birmingham. "He wrote upon the human heart, and did not mean to found a book. Had He meant to found a book of religion He would surely have written that Himself. He would not have been content to leave the Gospel to float for years on the treacherous currents of human memory and get mixed up with childish legends. Our Lord meant His religion to be practiced by men who were trying to follow in His steps and not by priests, philosophers or professional advocates."

TERRITORIAL ARMY

Total Strength of "Terriers" Returned as 6,570 Officers and 132,726 Other Ranks

The latest Territorial Army returns show that 1,612 recruits were approved for service during November. The highest number of recruits was obtained by the Wessex Division, with 166 men, and the next best figures were the 1st London Division, 151, and 2nd London Division, 137. The strength of the the Divisions are now as follows: Northumbrian, 9,247; North Midland, 9,188; Welsh, 8,887; West Riding, 8,876; Highland, 8,713; Lowland, 8,447; East Anglian, 8,150; E. Lancs, 8,080; S. Midland, 8,004; Wessex, 7,884; W. Lancs, 7,775; Home Countries, 7,081; 56th (1st London), 6,736 and 47th (2nd London), 6,250. The strength of the Territorial Army is now 6,570 officers and 132,726 other ranks.

Some Big Fish

Two pike of nineteen and one-half pounds and nineteen and three-quarter pounds have been captured by anglers in the Avon (Hampshire) and Brue (Somersetshire). Another big roach has been caught in the Thames. It weighed two pounds two and three-quarter ounces, and was landed at Tilehurst, near Reading.

KENYA RAIDED BY BANDS OF MAN EATERS

Packs of Hundreds of Fierce Lions Terrorize Settlers in British Colony—Kill People and Cattle

TERRIBLE BREED SO FAR UNKNOWN

Gain Supreme Control Over Vast Area and Women and Girls Drawing Water Fall Victims

A NEW and terrible breed of man-eating lion, which makes organized raids on native villages in packs of twenty or thirty and transmits its appetite for human flesh to its cubs, has appeared in the British African Colony of Kenya, according to official reports which have just reached London.

Night after night, according to these reports, packs of a dozen or two dozen lions and lionesses raid the native kralls, crash their way through the flimsy roofs or walls and bear away screaming victims to devour at their leisure.

Women and girls drawing water at the rivers and boys guarding herds of cattle are being carried off and hundreds of heads of cattle eaten.

Five hundred lions, it is estimated, have gained supreme control over hundreds of square miles of territory. All this is not only a reversal of conditions prevailing up to a few years ago, but is a contradiction of the accepted ideas about the relations between lions and human beings.

The man-eating lions hitherto encountered have been, with a few exceptions, old or crippled beasts, too slow to hunt their usual prey, and who have learned to eat human flesh primarily because it is easier to procure.

The new man-eating lion is a very different kind of animal, young and verile, who hunts human beings because he has come to think of them as his normal prey.

VULGAR RAG GIVES RISE TO PROTEST

Untoward Conduct of Oxford and Cambridge Students in London Theatres Strongly Resented

Public opinion has been aroused by the senseless and vulgar rag in London that marked the night of the recent Oxford and Cambridge Rugby match.

Disgusted spectators of the night's hooliganism at the Hippodrome and Palace Theatres, where chairs and other property were destroyed, were emphatic that there must be no repetition on the Boat Race night next March. Many have expressed approval of the suggestion made by Mr. R. H. Gillespie, managing director of the Hippodrome, to control ragging. This is to let the theatre to Oxford and Cambridge for a rag night, the University authorities appointing stewards to keep order.

MR. MACDONALD ON TEACHING BEAUTY

Stresses Appreciation of What Is Beautiful and in Good Taste and Was Not Vulgar

Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, speaking at the annual general meeting of the London Continuation Teachers' Association at the London Training College, said that the young workman was an artist if he only knew how to express himself. He would find how to express himself by dancing, singing and the exercise of his free spirit.

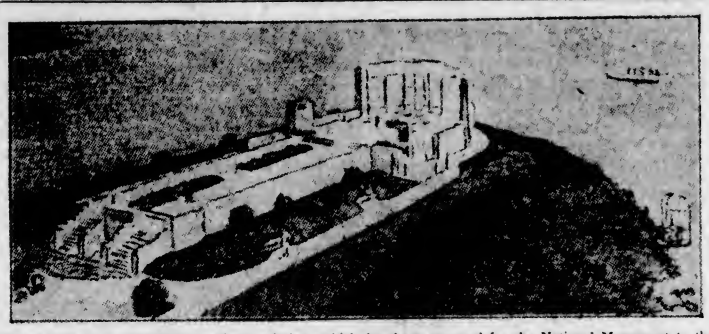
By dancing he did not mean the fox-trot, but the dance that men and women danced with their heart not with their legs—the old folk dance, the dance which was the essential part of the drama, the drama which was really the representation of ordinary life with imagination, humor and brightness added to it. He could not imagine any better thing that could come from a really well-devised cultural system of education directed to young men and young women between the ages of fourteen and twenty than that the next generation should have a fine appreciation of what was beautiful, what was in good taste, and what was not vulgar.

BACK TO NELSON

Centenarian Says Father Supported Naval Hero When Shot Down on Deck of the Victory

Mrs. Harriet Preston, the first-known centenarian of the quaint waterside village of Pill, near the mouth of th Avon, is the daughter of one of the sailors who supported Nelson as he lay dying aboard the Victory. Four of Mrs. Preston's children survive, with seventeen grandchildren, twenty great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild. Her memory and sight are remarkably good, but her hearing has suffered. She can recall the days when women fulfilled the duties of barge horses on the banks of the Avon and were little more than beasts of burden.

New Zealand's Memorial to Late Premier



The above is a reproduction of the design which has been accepted for the National Monument to the memory of the late Rt. Hon. W. F. Massey, former Prime Minister. It is to be carried out in marble and will be erected on Point Halswell, overlooking Wellington Harbor, in which city the dead statesman was born.

ENGINES WORK TO 100,000 H.P.

New Giant Cunarder Assigned to Clyde Yard and Turbines Designed to Develop Greatest Power

NEW NORTHERN PORT IS SOUGHT

The new giant liner for the Cunard Company is reported as on the point of being ordered from a shipyard on the Tyne where the Mauretania was built. The big craft is expected to bring the four-day Atlantic crossing within an approachable distance. Passengers who leave London on Saturday forenoon will be landed in New York on Wednesday evening following. If this is so she will retain for Great Britain the blue ribbon of the Atlantic, which otherwise may be lost.

The Cunard will have super-pressure turbines, but the big White Star liner ordered last month at Harland & Wolff will have Diesel propelling machinery said to develop something like 100,000 horse power, or four times as powerful as the Italian liner Augustus, the largest existing motor vessel.

It is reported at Glasgow that railway officials have recently made a survey at several points on the Southern Scottish coast with a view to selecting a harbor where American liners might deliver and take on passengers and mail, thereby saving a day on the journey and relieving the congestion at other ports.

LIST 450,000 MORE PENSIONERS

Contributory Act Operative in Britain Affects Over Million and Quarter

The final part of the Widows', Orphans' and Old Age Contributory Pensions Act came into operation on January 2 in Great Britain. On Thursday, January 5, at least 450,000 insured persons between the ages of sixty-five and seventy were entitled to draw for the first time an old-age pension of ten shillings a week without any reference to their income from other sources. As a result not fewer than a million and a quarter people will receive the benefits of the measure passed by the present Government in 1925.

KIND HEART PUNISHED

Golfer Penalized for Saving Life of Inoffensive Worm

Worms may entice trout from brooks, but they have no place on a golf links. At Bournemouth, a worm was out on the course, crawling around, paying no attention to anybody, when a ball rolled on it. H. C. Shaw, who was playing the ball, asked his caddie if he could take the worm from under the ball without penalty. The caddie said it all depended on whether it could be done without moving the ball. Shaw succeeded, but the rules committee penalized him a stroke, saying that worm or no worm, a player can't touch the ball before taking a stroke.

UNIQUE POSTCARDS

Sets Showing Reproductions of Great Historic Documents of Britain to Be Issued

Early in the new year the public will be able to obtain reproductions of parts of some of the most famous British historical documents in the world. The authorities have decided to issue a set of postcards made from photographs of a few of the state papers on view in the museum of the Public Record Office. The original draft of the log of the Victory on the two days of the Battle of Trafalgar; a signature of Shakespeare; Sir Philip Sidney's last letter; and the anonymous warning to Lord Monteagle which led to the discovery of the Gunpowder Plot are included in the series. There will also be photographic reproductions of the Indenture to Magna Carta; a page of the "Scrap of Paper," which Germany violated when she invaded Belgium, and a picture of the Doomsday Book and the great chest which was the traditional depository of the book. If the set proves popular others may be published. The price will be 1s.

COTHAY MANOR

Most Perfect Small Fifteenth Century House Still Intact on River Tone

Described as "the most perfect small fifteenth century house that survives in the Kingdom," Cothay Manor stands on the bank of the River Tone, where Somerset merges into Devon. Inside and out it remains virtually unchanged since its completion about the year 1480, says an article in Country Life. Its clustering gables of reddish-purple local sandstone with their mullioned windows and arched gatehouse, give promise of an unspoiled interior which is more than fulfilled. In the upper chambers is a series of fifteenth century painted mural frescoes, pronounced by Dr. Tristram to be examples without parallel of early English domestic decoration. The great hall, with its newly-timbered open roof and original oak screen, has a minstrel gallery, which, more completely than any other in the country, retains untouched its mediaeval characteristics.

COMMONS HELD AN INCAPABLE COURT

Candid Peer Stresses Incongruity of Agnostics Passing on Prayer Book Question

Speaking of the recent action of the House of Commons anent the new Prayer Book, the London correspondent of The New York Herald says:

The last occasion when the lords visited Westminster en masse—ordinarily no more than sixty or seventy trouble to use their seats—was in 1910, when the great fight over the Parliament Bill was dividing the country. Now the debate on the revision of the Prayer Book has brought them together again, and the capital has had a rare opportunity of seeing what hereditary legislators look like in bulk.

The week's prize for candor goes to one of their number, the Earl of Denbigh, a Catholic peer, and therefore disinterested in the Prayer Book debate, to which he contributed this comment:

"Speaking for himself, he could not imagine a more incompetent body of men to which to refer such a question than the modern Parliament, composed as it was of professed agnostics and men of various religions, most of whom never went to a place of worship from one year's end to the other, except, perhaps, to see their friends married or buried, or to be married or buried themselves."

SEE DOCTOR WHEN WELL SAYS EXPERT

Lord Dawson Gives Free Advice Concerning Fads and Vain Imaginings

"Go to the doctor when you are well."

That was the advice of Lord Dawson of Penn, who spoke recently in London at the Institute of Public Health at a lecture on the cancer peril. He urged those present to agoid magic cures and short cuts in dealing with this dreadful disease.

"I view with some apprehension the study of disease by the public," he said. "It is almost an impossible task.

"The layman cannot be impartial with regard to himself. If he seeks the symptoms of disease too much he is prone to get a distorted view and a fear of the disease, which is very much worse.

"'Cancer Week' and such proceedings are the cause of very much more harm than good. The way to look at this problem should be along the avenue of health. We want to teach people what the functions of the body are in a healthy person, and what are the consequences of digression from health.

"If that were done, people would seek the advice of their medical men when they were well. And when they went to their medical men to be thus treated, it would be the duty of the doctor to examine them with thoroughness."

Sunshine Tourists

Winter tourists may now seek sunshine by airplane. The first Winter air cruise starts from the Croydon airport on January 31 and for five weeks travelers will fly in sunshine, visiting Southern France, Spain, Morocco, Algiers, Tunisia and Italy. New and luxurious twelve-seater Handley-Paige-Napier air liners will be used. The inclusive charge for the trip is about fifty cents a mile.

BRITISH PLAN AID TO HINDU FARMER

Despite Alleged Boycott by "Babu" Politicians, Simon Commission Approved by Peasants

Boycotted in advance by two of the strongest Hindu political organizations, the Indian Statutory Commission, under the leadership of Sir John Simon, sails for India on a preliminary investigation tour January 20. Whether the extremists of the Indian National Congress and the National Liberal Federation will carry out their expressed determination to hurl a wrench into the machine which will study the Indian legislative and administrative structure or will eventually co-operate it would not seriously hamper the work of the investigators so long as other factions, such as the All-India Depressed Classes Conference, are ready to assist.

While more or less educated Hindus of the "Babu" class stand on soap boxes in London's Hyde Park bewailing before Sunday strollers treatment of the distant India Office, the followers of Mahatma Gandhi are continuing their economic boycott of British goods.

Although Gandhi has abandoned his policy of non-co-operation, he has so far been unable to justify his attitude in the eyes of his poverty-stricken adherents, who have found it profitable to weave their own cloth, rejecting Lancashire materials and contributing to the depression of the cotton trade in Great Britain.

With Indian leaders unable to agree as to whether complete independence or equal status with other members of the British commonwealth of nations is the goal sought, and with Hindus and Moslems continually clashing over religious tenets, the peasant, who knows little about politics and cares less, is quietly forging ahead toward the British ideal and bringing the only kind of unity Hindustan has ever known—economic freedom.

TRAFFIC'S TOLL OF CHILDREN HEAVY

Three Times More Dangerous for Little Ones in London Streets Than Elsewhere

It is three times as dangerous for a London child to be out on the streets as it is for children in the rest of the country. This point is brought out in the London County Council's report on education for 1926. Calling attention to the number of traffic accidents to children as "the most deplorable feature of any statistical record for the year," the report says in the metropolitan police area of London during 1926 a total of 9,761 children were killed or injured. For the first nine months of the year 1927, according to police returns, fatal traffic accidents to children totaled 166, as against 233 in 1926.

FARMERS MEET PRINCE

Party of Canadians to Visit Old Country Will Be Received by His Royal Highness

The Prince of Wales has consented to receive a party of Canadian farmers who are being brought to England this month by the Canadian National Railways Department of Agriculture to study the marketing here of Canadian farm produce. The reception will take place at noon on January 25 at St. James' Palace. The following day the party will be the guests of the Corporation of the City of London at Guildhall and will be shown Smithfield, Spitalfields, the London Central and other Corporation markets.

VALUABLE FLAGONS

Ancient Church Vessels Worth $10,000 to Help Augment Income of East Horsley Benefice

A faculty authorizing the sale of two silver-gilt flagons dating from 1649 and valued at £2,000 has been granted by the Guildford Diocesan Chancellor to the rector and churchwardens of East Horsley (Surrey), subject to the flagons remaining in ecclesiastical hands and to the conditions of sale being satisfactory. The flagons, which are now at the Victoria and Albert Museum, London, were found years ago in a disused part of East Horsley Church tower. They were believed at one time to be of no value, and were put in a box in the rectory coal shed. The proceeds of the sale are to be used to augment the income of the benefice.

Ripe Cocktails Grow a-Plenty on Tree in India

EITHER someone is letting a fortune slip through his fingers, or else the Bhopal correspondent of the Indian News Service is an optimist, says a London writer in The New York Herald Tribune.

"From October, 1921," the correspondent writes, "the State of Bhopal has lost over 300,000 rupees every year in its efforts to enforce Prohibition, and at last has had to put a stop to this costly experiment. It was found that the Mohwa trees, which abound in the state, are tapped by those who desire alcoholic drink."

If this Mohwa tree is all that is claimed for it, and if it will function properly in the American climate, the "plant a tree" movement ought to boom exceedingly. But London horticulturists haven't any Mohwa trees in stock, and seem doubtful of their ability to get any.

WOLFE'S BIRTHDAY

Anniversary of "Dauntless Hero" to Be Celebrated by Banquet in Native Town

The annual Wolfe birthday dinner was held at St. Mary's Hall, Westerham, on January 2, under the auspices of the Wolfe Society. The president, Mr. J. R. O'B. Warde, was in the chair. Those interested in Canada and James Wolfe, as well as members of the society, had beeen invited to attend. A special through saloon left Charing Cross at 5.15 p.m., arriving at Westerham at 6.9, and returned from Westerham at 10.42 p.m., arriving at Charing Cross at 11.52.

'BLIZZARD' OFFERS FOOD FOR THOUGHT

Dole Receivers' Reaction to Snow Shoveling Suggests Flaw in Legal Machinery

Whatever the new year may have in store, the old one, when passing away, at least created a record in British meteorological annals. Of course, judged by the American standards, the English blizzard was a trumpery affair, says the London correspondent of The New York Times.

People have drawn some morals and learned some lessons from it, continues the writer. Among the lessons the chief probably is that the system of heating houses may be fine and healthy and all that, in ordinary times, but the American methods of central heating are very desirable on extraordinary occasions. Among the morals, one of the most pertinent is that there is something radically wrong with the dole regulations, when able-bodied men out of employment refuse the opportunity of doing more than one day's work a week for the good of the community because they would thereby lose the allowances made to them by State and municipal organizations.

It would be possible to carry this criticism too far, for the majority of Englishmen do not quarrel with the principle of the dole, which is, after all, a method of insurance to which the workers contribute as well as the employers and the State. In particular instances, however, where the unemployed refused to shovel snow for a day or two in order not to lose the whole week's dole, it is acknowledged that there is a flaw in the administrative machinery due to ill-considered legislation.

NEWS RECORDERS MINIMIZE DELAYS

Instrument Installed in London Subways Gives Automatic Advice of Accidents

By installing instruments described as "news recorders," Lord Ashfield, director of London's subway system, hopes to cut to a minimum the delays following accidents in the tube. These machines will state first the mishap's nature; second, where it occurred; third, what caused it, and fourth, the changes necessary to correct it. The dials on these recording clocks on paper cover twenty-four hours, rotating at clock speed, and are electrically connected with a contact lever on the track. A train passing a certain point makes electrical contact, which causes a small kind of hammer to strike the dial's fringe and as the hours go by, the fringe reveals a series of fine markings. If transportation is not functioning properly, the gap is shown on the dial.

SEES DIAMOND JUBILEE

Roman Catholic Bishop Celebrates 60th Anniversary of Consecration and Receives £1,000 Gift

The Roman Catholic Bishop of Middlesbrough (the Right Rev. Richard Lacy) celebrated the diamond jubilee of his entering the priesthood, and received an autograph letter of congratulation from the Pope. The occasion was celebrated by a pontifical mass at the cathedral, attended by the Archbishop of Cardiff and bishops from various parts. Bishop Lacy was presented with a cheque for £1,000. Ordained by Cardinal Patrizzia in Rome on December 21, 1876, he was a curate in Bradford for five years before going to Middlesbrough. There he built St. Mary's Cathedral, and in 1879 he was appointed first Bishop of Middlesbrough.

LIVERPOOL IS MENACED BY FIERY PERIL

Eight Thousand Tons of Petrol Covers Surface of Mersey When Tanker Breaks Back on Sand Bar

DEATH FILM CAUSED IMMINENT DANGER

Fire Fighters Stand By and "No Smoking" on Waterfront Strictly Enforced During Menace

FOR a few exciting hours of uncertainty, the City of Liverpool and its great docks were in imminent peril of a most disastrous fire. The Anglo-American Oil Company's steamship Seminole, 6,923 tons, went aground twice on the Pluckington Bank, in the Mersey, and later broke her back amidships. Eight thousand tons of petrol were released, and flowed down the River Mersey towards the landing stage and the city. The danger from fire was so great that all available police forces were rushed to the landing-stage at the pierhead to prevent people smoking. Passing steamers were ordered to give the Seminole a wide berth. Passengers using the ferry steamers crossing the Mersey between Liverpool and Birkenhead smoke, and when people reached the Liverpool pierhead they were asked to put their pipes and cigarettes out. Fire-fighting appliances were got out in readiness, and men stood by the hydrants. About 12,000 feet of hose was ready for use at the seven hydrants of Liverpool landing-stage. The minimum amount of steamer traffic was allowed through the docks, so that as little of the spirit as possible should find its way into the docks. The fire-fighting officers of the Dock Board were marshalled at the landing-stage ready to go to any spot where fire might break out. The troopship California lay alongside the stage with 1,200 troops on board, and steps were taken to tow her away.

The Mersey tide turned, and the thousands of tons of inflammable spirit were carried slowly seaward. Liverpool was saved from the peril of a great fire, which had menaced it all night. While it lasted it was a film of death that covered the river, for it killed thousands of seagulls, the countless bodies of which could easily be distinguished by the ferry passengers. "It was well for the peace of mind of most people that they did not realize how acute the danger was," said an official of the Dock Board. "It only wanted someone to drop a match into the water, and the river would have been a mass of flames in a few minutes."

BLOWS $1,250,000 IN TWO YEARS

English Bankrupt Finds Difficulty in Differentiating Extravagances in Living

When asked at the Bankruptcy Court at St. Albans where the bulk of a fortune of £250,000 he had dissipated in two years had gone to, Geoffrey Basil Herbert Munday, of Harrow, replied that he could only say he had spent it. He added, "It is my own money, and one is entitled to amuse oneself." Munday received a legacy on his coming of age in April, 1925, under the will of his grandfather, Mr. John Henry Andrew, of the Toledo Steel Works, Sheffield. Debtor's statement of affairs showed liabilities amounting to £12,235 12s. 9d., assets £7,039 3s. 6., including an estimated surplus of £7,000 from a previous bankruptcy last May, leaving a deficiency of £5,196 9s. 3d. In his examination Munday stated that after he came into the legacy he took a flat in London and began to spend money freely. He soon found himself in financial difficulties, and had to resort to money-lenders. One of them took proceedings against him, and a receiving order was made on May 18 last.

Munday agreed that living at a rate of about £100 a week might possibly be extravagance, but he did not think it was, seeing that he had been in the habit of living previously at the rate of from £30,000 to £40,000 a year.

"AUTOMOBILIOUSNESS"

Lord Hewart Coins New Word in Damage Suit Against Speedy Motorist in London

"Does this road suffer from automobiliousness?" asked the Lord Chief Justice, in London recently, when hearing an action for damages by a cyclist who was knocked down by a motor car on the Sutherland arterial road. Plaintiff said the arterial road was often made use of by motorists for speeding, and this provoked Lord Hewart's question. The jury awarded the plaintiff damages amounting to £652 with costs.

Blinds' Benefactor

Every blind person in the area of the South Beds Society for the Welfare of the Blind received a Marconi crystal set at Christmas. The sets were installed free of charge by members of the Luton Wireless Society, whose secretary, Mr. W. F. Neal, first suggested the scheme.

KNOCK-OUT

Doris Felt That There Were Certain Things Her Pride Would Not Allow Her to Do—Love or No Love.

By LAWRENCE PERRY
Illustrated by Harold Lund

"EARLY morning in Autumn—an impeccable day. The sound revealed never so brilliantly its billions of facets, the blue, flashing rise of wavelets. Mist, gold-shot, hung upon the trees that shaded an out-jutting point of land.

With a sigh that was eloquent of sheer joy in living and being, Doris Willing waded into the water.

With a little cry, she plunged forward under full headway until, at length, she dived and cleaved her way to a float.

Her head had just appeared above the level of the flooring when, upon the other side, a figure bounded from the water.

"I beg your pardon! I suppose this is your float?" There was a pleasing inflection in the young man's voice.

Doris climbed to the raft. Her gaze was frank with curiosity and admiration. He was obviously an athlete in superb condition. His face was finely modeled. The eyes were gray, and above them dark, straight brows.

"This is my float." She smiled.

"Do I have to leave it?"

"Well—I imagine you came out to swim, not to occupy a float."

They both laughed.

"Are you a college man? You look like a football player." Not waiting for a reply, she hurried on: "Every time I see an athletic-looking chap around here that I don't know, I wonder if he isn't that boxer who is training at Seacliff. Every one has been talking about him, and I've been crazy to see him. She stopped abruptly, staring at him. "Do you know, I've just come to suspect that you are the famous Mr. Norcross."

He looked away from her.

"Yes, I am Paul Norcross."

"Really!" She regarded him with no denial of her interest. "This is thrilling! I don't know just why,"—she laughed, with a note of apology,—"but I had associated boxers with the cave-man type."

"Modern boxing," he said stiffly, "is supposed to require quite a little intelligence."

"Forgive me. It's simply that you are so—so—I mean it is so unexpected. I've read so much about you in the papers and I knew you had taken a cottage at Seacliff. Haven't I read, too, that you are—oh, awfully retiring, really a recluse, except, of course, when you come forth to box? There! I'm being rude again. Still," she added, with playful impudence, "this is my float. You are a trespasser and must pay the penalty of my curiosity."

"Sure I'm a trespasser. I dope it out that salt water is good for me. My trainer doesn't. So I take it on the sneak, before any one is awake, and now I've got to beat it—"

"Mr. Norcross," she interrupted, raising her hand, "you don't fool me a bit."

"Fool you?"

'Yes. It suddenly occured to you that you ought to play up to your role as a boxer and talk in a gruff voice out of the side of your mouth, using slang."

A gleam of humor flashed across his eyes. "I have to be going. It's been great, to meet you, Miss—"

"I am Miss Willing."

"Good-bye, Miss Willing." He held out his hand, and she took it.

"I shall see you again?"

"I'm afraid not. I'm a fighter."

A Good Old World

DORIS sang throughout the process of dressing for breakfast. She had come to rate incidents in her life in accordance with their sensational or dramatic quality. This meeting on the float had been rarely sensational, the most unusual in its various personal qualities that she had ever experienced—with perhaps additional chapters to follow. She savored every detail in retrospect.

Her father, eminent in Wall Street, a widower, had been unable to leave business for Newport, and now was at the table, deep in his paper. Doris came up to him, stroking his head. He smiled up at her and returned to his paper. Doris was the important interest in his life—aside from finance. Even so, she was a minor interest.

Doris took him to the station for the nine-thirty train and, after luncheon, motored over to the club, where they were holding a tourney. Chubby Lannin, she knew, ought to be about at this hour of the day. She sent a servant in quest of him.

"Hello, Chubby." She extended a hand as the obese young man appeared. "Tell me something about this boxer, Norcross."

Lannin blinked and looked important.

"He's good. I've played him in every one of his fights, and he doesn't owe me a cent, I can tell you." He grinned. "But he's a faker."

"A faker?" She moved impatiently. "Just what do you mean?"

"Nobody knows much about him. He blew into this country three years ago. Said his father ran a copra station in the South Sea Islands and that he learned to box from a retired English pug out there. He keeps away from the fighting crowd—in fact, he high hats every one. And, since he fights all the time, practically, he's coined money. In important fights he's put every man he's met to sleep. Of course, this mystery stuff he pulls is just advertising bunk. But it gets over."

"He must be an interesting chap."

Lannin shrugged.

"I don't know. We've tried to get him over to the club. But he wouldn't come. He's a close bargainer. Doesn't even have a manager. They say he's made two hundred thousand dollars. When he fights Harry Strunk at the Polo Grounds the last of this month, he'll have fifty thousand more."

"Oh, so he's going to fight—whom did you say, Strunk? Are you going to bet on him?"

"Who—on Norcross? I don't know yet. This Strunk is a tough baby. He's won all his fights, too, since he came out of a Minnesota lumber camp two years ago. The man who wins will meet the heavyweight champion within a year, and it's no cinch that there won't be a new title-holder after that fight."

"Isn't that thrilling, Chubby! I want to meet him. I'll get him to come to the club."

"There you go!" Lannin regarded her gloomily. "Doris, let me tell you something for the good of your—your—" He paused.

"Soul, Chubby?"

"I was going to say that. But, as a matter of fact, I don't think you have one."

She eyed him in mock reproach. "I want you to take me over to Norcross's place. The paper said he would box at four o'clock."

"Nothing doing."

"But I'm crazy to see him box."

"Some other day, then." Lannin eyed her carefully. "You see, Doris, the fellows who do the betting are trying to figure how to bet on the Strunk fight, and so they hired Knock-Out Drennan to offer his services as a sparring partner to Norcross, knowing Paul was looking for a big fellow who can take punishment. Norcross accepted, suspecting nothing. Drennan is in great condition and, when he makes his first appearance today, he'll be loaded for bear."

'And this Drennan is good?"

"I'll say he is. He's likely to show Norcross up. Then again, he may get plastered. Any way you take it, the layers will have something to go on in betting on the fight. You see, Drennan went twelve rounds with Strunk."

"Yes, but Norcross will be taken by surprise, won't he?"

"That's his lookout. If he's as good as some think, he ought to be handicapped that much."

The Training Quarters

HALF an hour later, Doris stopped her motor in front of a farm cottage.

Hesitating momentarily at the gate, Doris opened it, went up the walk to the porch, and rang the bell. The door was almost immediately opened by a short, thick-set man.

"Is Mr. Norcross at home? I am Miss Willing."

"Are you a friend of his?"

"I—I—have met him. I think, if you will be so good as to give him my name, he will see me. You're his trainer, aren't you?"

"Yeh, Tommy Devine's my name. You see, it's this way: Norcross takes a nap every afternoon till quarter of four. So he's asleep now."

She glanced at her watch. "It's a quarter after three. If you don't very much mind, I'll come in and wait."

As the man moved to one side, she stepped into the musty little hallway and thence into the parlor. Devine, with a shake of his head, went out of the room. Doris was bending over a bookcase when a voice broke the silence.

"How do you do?"

She turned. Norcross stood in the doorway.

"I wondered if you'd remember me," she said.

"I don't forget so easily."

"I'm flattered. Mr. Norcross, at our club we have some men who bet, you know. A man who is quite familiar with boxing told me the gamblers were paying a boxer named Drennan, I think, who has offered his services for practice. But he comes to—to—show you up, so that the gamblers will know all about you."

"Oh, yes." The gray eyes darkened, but immediately lightened in a smile. "So you came here to tell me this! That's fine of you." He turned to his trainer, who evidently had been lurking in the hallway. "You heard, Tommy?"

"Sure I heard." The man came into the parlor. "I've been looking for something like that to drop."

"You see how clever my trainer is!" Norcross grimaced at Doris. "Just the same, I am obliged to you. What shall we do, Tommy?"

"Do! Why, we'll pass him up with thanks. What do these birds think, that we'll put on a hundred-thousand-dollar mix-up with this pork-and-beaner for nothing? Forget it."

"Yes, I guess you're right."

Norcross paused, catching an expression that flashed across Doris Willing's eyes. He flushed and straightened.

"But perhaps—" He gestured at his trainer. "Tommy, we'll do nothing."

"Eh! What's the big idea? Are you crazy?"

"No, I'm not crazy, Tommy." He turned to the girl. "Would you like to stay and see me licked?"

Doris flushed. "I'd like to stay and see you lick Drennan."

"All right. You can sit here, if you want, until you see me go out across the yard." He glanced out a front window. "Drennan is coming, Tommy. I'll take him on after McGill—four rounds, if he likes." He turned to the girl. "You don't know how much I appreciate what you've done. It's been fine of you to take all this trouble."

"Not at all. I've been thinking that I might come over some afternoon and take you to the club for tea."

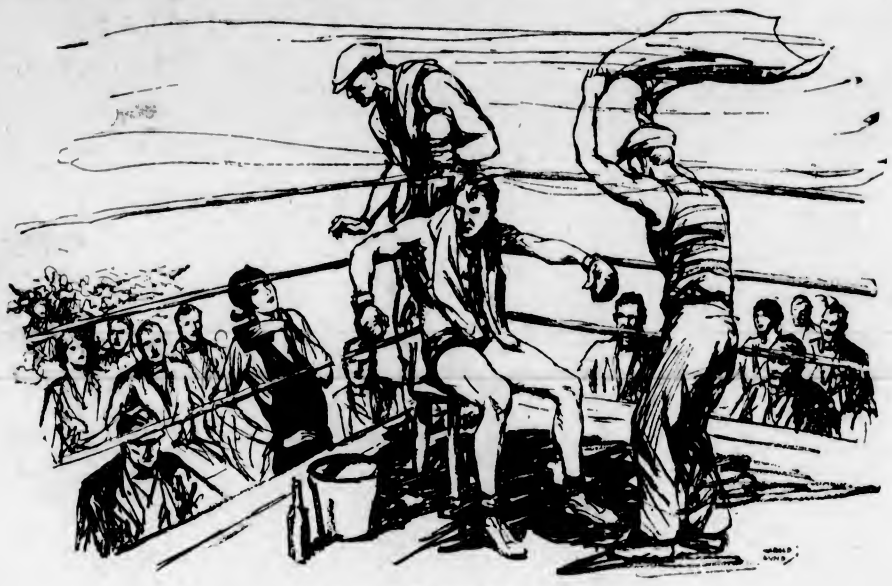
Norcross hesitated.

"Would I have to meet people?"

"Why, yes, a few. But you surely don't mind that."

"Well—thank you. I'm not working tomorrow. Come at four." He turned swiftly and left the room.

When Doris made her way to the ring in a pasture, some two hundred spectators were watching Norcross punch the big. The girl was fascinated by the free, rippling play of his muscles, and by the rhythmic dexterity with which he kept the bag in play.



"Paul Norcross!" Her Voice Was Low, But Clear.

Later, after he had gone through two deft rounds with McGill, Doris worked her way around to Chubby Lannin and his party. Chubby scrowled and then grinned.

"You thought you fooled me. I was willing to bet you would be here. But I couldn't get anything up. The rest of this bunch knew you too well."

Presently Drennan entered the ring. She watched him shake hands with Norcross, who was as beautifully proportioned as a statue by Phidias, a little smile playing about his lips, but a deadly gleam in his eyes.

In about a minute it was all over. Feinting with his left, Norcross drew a terrific right-handed cross-counter from his opponent. It was a complete miss, and Drennan literally fell into a bone-crashing left hook sent to the point of his chin. He stood like a man stricken, then crashed upon his face.

Norcross signaled to his trainer and left the ring. Doris, as though waking from a dream, started to work her way toward Norcross, when her companion gripped her arm.

The girl was fascinated by the rhythmic dexterity with which he kept the bag in play.

"Doris, what the mischief!"

The tall figure of the pugilist appeared, bearing straight for Doris. He paused, confronting her, holding out his hand, from which the taping had not been removed.

"Thank you, Miss Willing." No one but she heard the whispered words of gratitude, and immediately he swung away and made for his cottage.

"So you've got in your work already, have you!" Chubby Lannin observed. "Well, after this, the odds will be on Norcross—even money, anyway. But I've had my tip. My money goes on Harry Strunk."

An Aloofness Complex

NORCROSS was not on the raft next morning. Doris was chagrined. She had practically ordered him to come, and he had not obeyed. Later, when she went to the club, one thing was settled in her mind. She would not keep her afternoon appointment with Norcross. She would give him a point or two about aloofness. She went immediately to a telephone. Norcross, she learned, was out on the road, the information being churlishly vouchsafed by Devine. Sighing with relief, Doris broke her engagement with the boxer and rang off. Two hours later she stopped her roadster in front of Norcross' quarters. He stood at the gate, evidently awaiting her.

"I was hoping you would come."

"Were you?" Doris smiled provocatively. "I've been thinking," she said, as he obeyed her gesture and stepped to the seat at her side, "that it would be better not to go to the Club. I'm selfish, you see."

"I like it a lot better that way." He spoke as though in relief.

Doris sent the car rolling down a hedged road, thence into a highway leading through a rolling, wooded country.

"Tell me something about yourself." Her eyes remained fixed upon the road ahead.

"What is there to tell?"

"Why—everything."

Slowly his eyes were raised to hers.

"My name is not Norcross. It is Glendenning. I was born in Virginia. When I was fifteen, my father and mother and I went to England, where Father was sent to represent a chain of American factories. I went to school in England and then to Cambridge, where I won my blue in boxing. They said I was the best college boxer that England had ever produced."

"Go on, please."

"Father made a fortune in the war and retired. I wanted to come back to the States, but Mother loved it in England. After I left college, I went into business with an English exporting company in Johannesburg. I liked boxing and did a lot of it under an assumed name, meeting local and visiting boxers of every sort, just for the fun of it. I knocked them all out; I seemed to have a knack of hard and accurate hitting from any position. And I was clever defensively."

"And your parents knew nothing about it?"

"Certainly not. I used the name of Norcross and posed as a fighter from the States. I didn't neglect my business, either. Three years ago Father died suddenly. I went to London and found that he had been speculating for a long time and that Mother had just fifteen thousand dollars to her name. She loved the life she was living in England—a country place on the River Wye, a lovely spot."

"Yes." Doris waited for him to go on.

"I went over everything and found it was costing about twelve thousand a year in American money to live as she had been living. I told her to go ahead and use her capital, that I had a paying position in the United States. I came over here and began fighting—it was the only chance I saw. I hit it off from the start. After my next fight, I'll have nearly three hundred thousand dollars."

"And your mother doesn't know, really?"

"I should say not. She thinks I'm a young captain of industry over here." He smiled.

"Every Fall I do a disappearing act," he added. "I go over to Mother and spend six weeks with her."

"And no one has ever recognized you?"

"No. But I dodge people of my own class all I can."

Returning to the farm, there was no clear memory on the part of either of mere words. He stood by the car looking up at her.

"Will you come tomorrow, after I have boxed? Say five o'clock?"

She shook her head. Too great hurry in this affair, she knew, would bring a swifter ending than, just now, she cared to contemplate.

"Not tomorrow. Some day I'll come."

But she came the next day at the hour designated, unable to remain away.

And the day after that she came; and the next, with all the elation of an experience which had not began to pall.

Toward sunset one afternoon, Doris stopped the car upon the brow of a hill, giving upon an alluring view of the Sound. He glanced at her.

"Tommy Devine says if I don't stop going off with you I am going to lose my fight with Strunk."

Doris flushed.

"I don't want to be that sort of an influence. Perhaps I had better stop coming. I didn't realize I was hurting you."

"Hurting me! It's life to me."

Doris rose, as though inclined, through sheer nervousness, to leap from the car, but his arm went about her. She was close to him, in his arms.

A quiver passed through her. The sensation of being powerless in his arms was tremendous. Then, like the thrust of an icy spear, came a stab in her heart. It turned her all cold, as the aloofness of her class, of her position, and all the acquired tendencies of her nature, suddenly became dominant. He felt it, saw it. He released her.

"You are angry," he said. "But, I love you. I love you. I can't say anything more. Just that."

The denouement had come, and she had brought it upon herself; she was too honest to deny it.

"When you dived from the raft that first morning," she said at length, her voice low, "you said you were a fighter. Are you different now?"

There was a pause.

"I'm sorry," he said. "I understand. But—but—suppose I retired now? I have a good business offer."

"You are a fighter," she said dully, "whether you retire or not. And everyone would know, must know, some time."

He turned away from her, and she started the car, heading toward the farm.

Again the Morning Plunge

SLEEP that night was not restful. In the morning Doris prepared for her morning plunge in an ecstasy of nervous eagerness. But Norcross did not come to the float.

Idling over her breakfast without appetite, she faced the truth and admitted it. She had not escaped. She loved Paul Norcross. She loved this handsome young stalwart. She lifted her eyes to her father, grumbling over his newspaper, an old aristocrat in every pose, intolerant and, in the larger aspects of life, narrow. But the light in her eyes deepened.

"Poor father," she thought. And cared no more than that; but of Norcross; did he still care? It would kill her if he didn't.

Driving at full speed, she had gone half way to Norcross' quarters when another car approached in a narrow part of the roadway. She recognized the driver, Devine.

"Hello. I was going to your house."

"You were!" She backed her roadster alongside Devine's car.

"Yes, I was. I was going to ask you to lay off Norcross. Here he's got the most important fight of his life on his hands, a time when he ought to be on his toes, working up to the best he's got—and what's he doing? Sitting around, grouching, making faces at nothing, letting his sparring partners make a monkey out of him. And him a champ, if there ever was one!"

"You mean—" Doris peered at him eagerly—"you mean he seems to be—to be—" Her voice failed her.

"You know what he seems to be." Devine's voice rose angrily. "He's got you on his mind when he ought to be thinking of Harry Strunk—"

Doris smiled radiantly.

"Say," Devine stared at her, "you act as though I was giving you good news! Norcross ain't fit and Strunk is going to hand him the trimming of his life."

"Oh!" Doris' face lost its light. "What can I do?"

"Do? You can leave him alone. When he does see you, he's busted up." Devine gestured. "So what's the answer? Ask me. Then, the other night, a swell guy and some old jane got hold of him, and he wouldn't tell me nothing about what happened. But he was all in. Every night they telephone—or you do—I don't know which, because Norcross shuts us all out of the room."

"I haven't telephoned him, Mr. Devine."

"Well, anyway, listen, Missy. The main trouble is you. That's my dope. You keep away, and I can handle the rest."

"And suppose I don't?" Doris' eyes were gleaming.

"If you don't, then this bird Strunk is going to beat Paul's head off. You can't be mixed up in a love affair and win prize fights."

"What do you wish me to do?"

"Look here—" Devine leaned out of the car. "Yesterday morning I rigged up a plant on him. I told him you had telephoned when he was out, saying you had got engaged to a guy in New York and—"

"Mr. Devine!"

"And I told him you wanted him to be the first bird to know it—you're hep to the way the dames always put it when they break the bad news to the runner-up. Well, it worked—Norcross was mean as a meat axe in the afternoon. Knocked out two of his sparring partners and—"

"See here—" Doris' voice quivered with anger.

"Now wait a minute." Devine raised his hand impressively. "I know how it is with you. You're one of the top-hole crowd, getting a little excitement playing with a prize fighter, who's all right enough; but a prize fighter. Get me?

"What's the idea, eh? You can't marry him. I'm wise to that. Fun for you, yes. But you've had enough, ain't you? What's it going to get you to string along and ruin a man's life when he's at his prime? This Norcross is a curious fish; don't take things easily. You've got a chance to act big and save a man. You're not going to gyp him, just because you've got a yen for a jounce out of the ordinary, are you? Come one. Come clean now."

He eyed her keenly. "Even if you love him, you'll only hurt him now. And, anyway, if you do love him, I mean serious, why, you should ought to have your head examined."

For a full minute Doris sat immobile, her eyes fixed upon the road. At length:

"Very well, Mr. Devine. I'll—I'll—" A sob broke her voice. "I'll do as you say."

Devine stared at her. "So that's it!"

"That's it, Mr. Devine. But you are right, absolutely."

The Day of Battle

THE days that intervened before the widely-heralded contest between Norcross and Strunk were almost devoid of concrete impression for Doris Willing.

Her father departed for Newport; but Doris remained at home. She could, at all events, wait until after the fight before considering any plans whatever. Chubby Lannin, who had decided to place his money upon Strunk, had secured his usual ringside seats, and Doris had badgered an invitation out of him upon the threat of going alone, unless he took her. . . .

The ring stood out in greenish brilliance beneath a huge cluster of lights, while elsewhere, throughout this throng of quite seventy thousand men and women, the eye encountered a multitude of impressions—grouping of pallid faces and white-shirted forms tricked out in splashes of electric illumination.

A gong was clanging insistently. A man with a loud, whining voice was trying to announce something. From the arena came the music of a band.

From the direction of one of the portals rose a sound of cheering. A group of men were coming down the aisle, in the lead a tall, stalwart young man in a bathrobe, his blond head bobbing above the crowd.

Everyone was standing. Doris stood up, her hand upon Lannin's arm. Strunk was in his corner, surrounded by his seconds. The ring was filling with photographers. Strunk was bigger than Norcross; light of feature, his eyes blue, hair white as flax.

"Chubby," Doris' finger pressed into her escort's arm, "what do you think?"

"My money's on him; Norcross hasn't been working good of late. Got that tip from a friend of Devine's."

Doris was about to reply, when there came another eruption of applause. Norcross was coming.

She could have touched him as he passed. But he saw no one. He had on the silken bathrobe he had worn at the farm. Behind him was Devine. Behind him came Turk McGill.

Climbing through the ropes, Norcross went straight to Strunk's corner and stretched out his hand. Strunk took it, looking up at his opponent with a hard, expressionless face.

"Norcross doesn't look so good," Lannin muttered in the girl's ear. "Looks pale, a little drawn. See how he keeps moving his feet."

The two men were in the centre of the ring now, their gloves adjusted, conferring with the referee.

"Will they ever begin, Chubby?" Doris, impatient of all these formal delays, her nerves strung to breaking, closed her eyes.

"Norcross is nervous, all right."

She opened her eyes. The photographers and seconds were clambering out of the ring. The fighters had returned to their corners.

A bell clanged. The men sprang to the centre of the ring—they had performed the required rite of handshaking in the preliminary conference—eyeing each other warily, sparring to feel each other out. Suddenly Norcross' arm flashed out in his famous straight left jab, the glove snapping true to its mark, landing upon Strunk's cheek under the left eye.

Norcross should have followed it up, for the blow had been a beauty, coming just as Strunk had started a rush. He had been thrown back, shaken. But Norcross did not grasp his advantage. Strunk swung and missed, leaving an opening that any ringside observer could see. But Norcross, drawing away, let the opportunity for a counter go by. Encouraged, Strunk rushed in with two heavy body blows, both landing.

Muttering arose among the spectators. What was the matter with Norcross? Noted for his quick precision, his ferocity, he was conducting himself like a novice. As though realizing his showing, he suddenly rushed Strunk with powerful left and right hooks—powerful, yes, but slow, especially the footwork. Strunk was permitted to slip sharply away.

From a spectator came a loud, shrill ululation. Quick as thought, Strunk's right was coming in, hooking upward. Norcross saw the blow in time to begin to roll his head with it, but not in time to avoid it. He went to the floor as though he had been struck by a lightning bolt.

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"That Gay Young Set"

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Ada Winslow, Clairmont's newest resident, runs foul of "The Spirit of Eighteen Sixty-One" monument as she came zipping round the corner in her speedy sportster and the latent aristocratic complex of the town is aroused.

Storial No. 10—The Iconoclast

THE agitation against the monument "Commemorating the Spirit of Eighteen Sixty-One" was really begun by Miss Ada Winslow, Clairmont's newest resident, because she was in a hurry to get to a bridge-luncheon that young Mrs. Harry Herndon was giving at the tea-room Babs Bliss had opened on Ralston Drive.

She came zipping around the corner of the Post Road in her new roadster—which had five inches more wheelbase than her old one—and miscalculated the space by six inches, thereby almost knocking down Miss Eunice Ralston, who was on her way home from a very important committee meeting about something unimportant.

Officer Mulligan rescued Miss Ralston and reprimanded Miss Winslow. He would have much rather rescued Miss Winslow and reprimanded Miss Ralston. For his first encounter with Miss Ralston dated back some twenty years to a time when she had threatened to have him arrested for "purloining" (that was her word for it) two somewhat unripe and wormy apples that young Mulligan had noticed going to waste amongst two hundred treesful in the Ralston's orchard.

Miss Ralston did not recognize Officer Mulligan as the culprit of that day, but Officer Mulligan couldn't see that Miss Ralston had changed much, except that her pompadour was slightly greyer and that her voice and chin were decidedly sharper.

Miss Ralston indignantly demanded an arrest.

The girl, all contrition, wailed:

"Oh, officer, I'm so sorry! I wouldn't for worlds have hurt anybody! It was just that that beastly old monument was in my way!"

A Social Mis-Step

WHICH made matters worse than before, because the monument had been erected with funds that had been raised by a committee of which Miss Ralston's father had been chairman, and Miss Ralston's mother had unveiled it.

While the spinster was gasping her new indignation, Miss Winslow turned the full battery of her charms upon the susceptible Mulligan.

"Don't you think that thing ought to have been taken away long ago?" she appealed. "Its fence sticks out into the road too far, and those wobbling old bricks under it look moth-eaten, and, well, I ask you—" her pretty laughter bubbled, "don't you think a thing like that is an insult to the spirit of anything?"

Officer Mulligan grinned at her.

"At that, you're more or less right," he told the fair damsel. "It's no place at all for any statyoot—a spot where three roads run into each other, any way you're coming from. Drive along. But nixt time—" he shook his finger at her, but he winked, "you'll have to tell that to the Captain."

A very good-looking young man dashed out from the plate glass grandeur of the new Herndon Sales and Service Showroom on the corner and bowed low before the distinguished Miss Ralston.

"If you'd care to step into my office a moment," he murmured, "we could brush you off, and I'd be glad to drive you home. A pedestrian really isn't safe on this corner any more."

Salutes the Officer

THE fair Ada stuck out her tongue at the good-looking young man, saluted the officer smartly, and drove discreetly away from there. Ten minutes later she had sixteen young women shrieking with glee at her excuse for her tardy arrival.

"And, Ninny," she ended, turning to her hostess, "you'd have simply passed out of the picture yourself, if you could have seen your gallant Harry bowing the old gal into his front door."

Nina grinned.

"He has five more cars to sell this month, and he'd drag anybody in who'd listen to him," she explained. "But I think you're right about that monument. It's spang in the way, and it sticks out so that anybody coming from town can't see a thing in our new windows. Harry says it's enough to scare customers away, anyhow."

"It's the worst-looking cazookis in the whole country," young Mrs. Sherman chimed in. "My cousin—you remember him, Ada you met him at that party last week—he's a sculptor, only he can't find much sculpting to do nowadays—says that that sort of thing is a disgrace to the country. That some iconoclast—"

"Some which?" Nina interrupted.

"Iconoclast," Grace Sherman explained scornfully, "a guy who smashes the old—"

"You mean my cook—" Nina nodded. "Old or new, it's all the same to her. My dears, yesterday she—"

"My consin says," Grace Sherman's voice went sternly on, "if some progressive town would set the example, these things could be replaced with something really good. He says that we ought to have symbolic things with parks around them."

A Glorious Idea

IT sounded like a grand and glorious idea. Sixteen young women went to it simultaneously. They didn't form any committees or draw up any resolutions; they just made up their minds something ought to be done at once, and Grace said she'd ask her cousin down for the week-end. He'd tell them what to do.

Nina called Babs Bliss over from her desk in the hallway and engaged the east drawing-room for a tea party in honor of the sculptor. Babs admitted it was a darb of a idea, but she threw deep gloom over the assembly by asking how they were going to get the old monument out of the way.

"The Ralstons and the Warringtons and all that crowd put it there, and I don't believe they'll ever consent to having it moved. Why, Miss Ralston loves that monument like it was her long-lost beau."

"Who's Miss Ralston?" demanded Ada Winslow.

Seven voices described Miss Ralston.

"Good grief!" Ada shrieked. "It's she I almost ruined!"

While they talked, energetic Harry Herndon was improving the shining hour. He had esconced Miss Ralston in his own deep-cushioned leather chair. He had sent the office boy for a glass of lemonade to steady her nerves. Better yet, he had leaned against his desk and listened to a detailed account of her narrow escape.

"Dear lady," Harry murmured softly, "pedestrians are no longer safe!"

"Nor is man's noblest friend, the horse!" Miss Ralston launched into an old grievance. "For years," she blushed slightly as she boasted, "I was most skilful with the reins and whip, and always drove town town behind a handsome pair of bays—with a groom, of course, in case of emergency. But, by nineteen hundred and five, I realized I no longer had the freedom of the highway. My beautiful steeds were terrified, I myself badly frightened, and so the ribbons slipped from these hands for the last time on a—"

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Apple Sauce

HARRY felt he couldn't live through another of Miss Ralston's narrow escapes. He hastily said that he agreed absolutely with her lofty sentiments, and added that he knew she must have looked superb driving a pair of the noblest. Then he listened to an account of her difficulties in keeping a chauffeur.

"But a clever woman lady like you, used to handling the—er—ribbons—and controlling spirited animals, ought not to need a chauffeur for so docile a steed as the—er—motor," he told her glibly. "Of course, you wouldn't have the splendid sense of sport that you had with your—er—steeds. But you'd be far safer than you are on foot. The driving itself is a simple act. It's explained in this little book." He thrust a catalogue into her hands. "It is so simple that a child could understand it. Glance over paragraphs five and six on page fourteen, while I have one of our demonstrators bring around a little car in which I'll take you home—study the theory of it in your boudoir this afternoon, and I will come around tomorrow and give you a lesson in driving. Within a week's time, you'll be wondering why you hesitated even a moment. Our Ritzy Eight is a mechanical marvel. It practically drives itself."

Under the spell of his eloquence, she signed on the dotted line. Purchasing a motor to drive herself was the most revolutionary thing that she had done since she had permitted the village seamstress to shorten her street frocks to ankle-length, in nineteen eleven.

But his promise to teach her to drive proved to be the rashest promise of young Harry Herndon's life.

In vain did she push her hat back from her pompadour. In vain did she firmly secure the gold chain of her spectacles. In vain did she focus those spectacles upon the neat diagram showing how to shift gears that Harry had pasted on her shining windshield. All this concentration brought forth nothing more than a squeaking.

"I'm sorry, but I seem to have forgotten how it starts."

Ever So Simple

"FIRST, loosen your parking brake with your left hand," Harry would reiterate. "Then push the clutch in—no, no, Miss Ralston—not with the right foot. The right foot merely puts on the foot brake. Don't get excited. Push your left foot slowly down on the left pedal—"

He used to come from those lessons mopping his brow and muttering strange things. His wife added insult to injury by impishly accusing him of having an affair with his pupil.

"Y-your attentions to her are b-breaking m-my h-h-heart!" She pretended to weep. "I shall g-go h-home to mother!"

That gave him an idea.

The next day he explained to Miss Ralston why one of the mechanics would have to complete her instruction.

"I hate to tell you," he murmured huskily, "but the fact is that the little woman is jealous—she's making a fuss about my riding around with you so much."

The mechanic lacked Harry's patience. He had her in tears inside of ten minutes, but, in an hour, she could shift 'em. She was a bit wobbly on reversing, and sometimes she forgot how to stop, but the mechanic insisted she could drive.

"If you get stuck, 'phone us. What you wanta do now is get your mind on somewheres you wanta go, and then start—the car will take you there, if you let it."

The Progressive Element

SHE got her mind on somewhere she wanted to go—the very next time she opened the local newspaper. In large headlines, it outlined the plans of the progressive element of Clairmont as follows:

"Gideon Francklyn Smith, the eminent young sculptor, spoke at an informal gathering of some of Clairmont's most prominent young matrons yesterday afternoon and made many intriguing suggestions for the betterment of the town. He advises that the monument at the Post Road be removed and that a new park be laid out on the waterfront as the site of a modern memorial dedicated not only to the Spirit of Eighteen Sixty-One, but to the spirit of the American heroes of all times. He suggests a single symbolic figure of a young woman that shall typify Victory."

Miss Ralston gazed with horror upon a reproduction of the sketch for the figure. The artist evidently had made it hastily, for he'd not had time to put many clothes on Victory. Strangely enough, she looked not unlike Miss Ada Winslow.

Miss Ralston rose in her wrath. She had the presence of mind to remember that the Literary League was meeting at ten o'clock and the Literary League was a perfect organization for drawing up petitions and appointing committees and bringing injunctions.

She went out to her Ritzy Eight, pushed back her hat, lashed her spectacle chain to her ear, grasped the wheel, and, without so much as looking at the chart on the windshield, started that car!

As the mechanic had predicted, it was willing to take her wherever she wanted to go. She tore along at the terrific speed of fourteen miles an hour. She felt exhilarated and uplifted. Given a righteous cause, Miss Eunice Ralston never turned her back upon it.

An Official Negative

AS she crossed the Post Road, Officer Mulligan stepped briskly out from behind the Commemorative Spirit of Eighteen Sixty-One and held up a very large hand.

Miss Ralston believed he did it to be spiteful. Possibly he did it because a red signal flashed. Anyway, he did it. At the same time, with a beaming smile, he beckoned to Miss Ada Winslow, who was looking wonderful that morning in an emerald green suit. At Miss Winslow's side rode that eminent young sculptor, Gideon Francklyn Smith.

Miss Ralston, staring at the officer's hand, honestly tried to remember paragraph six on page sixteen about holding the car in traffic. Something about letting the right foot slide.

She let the right foot slide. Only, she let it slide down hard on the accelerator, instead of the foot brake.

Officer Mulligan did an inspired Charleston. The iron fence that guarded the Commemorative Spirit crumpled in terror as the Ritzy Eight plunged into the brick base that had been upholding the Commemorative Spirit ever since eighteen seventy-one. The mortar may have grown weary of holding the bricks, or the bricks may have grown tired of holding so much spirit. Anyway, they all quit work at the same instant and, if the statue hadn't been a hollow sham that burst neatly asunder along the seams of its trousers, somebody would have been killed by the impace.

"Gideon, darling!" screamed Miss Winslow.

"Ada, my angel!" yelped the sculptor.

Miss Ralston's shriek sounded high above the crash that drew a gathering throng.

The bigger the throng, the larger the glory for Mulligan.

"Madame," he lied stoutly, as he pulled Miss Ralston out from the wreckage, "it's sorry I am to tell you that you're under arrest for purloinin'—I mean, for destroyin' a public statyoot, obstructin' traffic, disturbin' the peace, endangerin' lives and—"

A grand moment, only that she suddenly recognized him.

"Timmy Mulligan!" she snapped, "shut up! Have somebody clear away that rubbish! It had no business getting in the way of my car, and you know it!"

KNOCK-OUT - - - - -

By LAWRENCE PERRY
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The crowd was in a frenzy at what appeared to be a knockout. Some one behind Doris was gripping her shoulder. But she didn't know it. She stood immobile, dazed, her eyes fastened upon the prostrate figure lying under the pitiless lights grouped over the ring, the referee bending over him, his arm moving up and down in the count.

As the referee's arm went down for the fifth time, Norcross moved. At the sixth, he glanced up at the man above him. Slowly he rose to his knee. At the ninth he rose to his feet, while the roar of the crowd became screaming crescendo.

Strunk rushed in, bent upon settling his man, swinging with right and left, Norcross covering up—intent only upon recovering from the blow he had received. Perhaps Strunk's eagerness alone saved his victim. For his furious blows were winding around his opponent's neck. Strunk's chief second yelled something. Strunk heard it. Pulling up short, he measured his man and let drive with his right. Again it was high. But its force was terrific. Norcross staggered and then blindly ran into a clinch, while the referee darted in, prying the men apart. The next instant the bell rang, ending the round.

Lannin sat back, his mouth hanging open.

"I told you Norcross wasn't right. He's been fighting like a wooden man. He won't last another round. Those two wallops he got have fixed him. Look at Devine poking smelling salts under his nose. He's gone."

"He isn't gone!" Doris glared at her escort.

"Isn't he!" jeered the man. "Let me tell you he needs more than smelling salts."

"He—" Doris rose, staring at Lannin. "He needs— He needs—"

"Hi! Doris! What—You—"

She darted into the aisle and made her way to the ring.

"Paul Norcross." Her voice was low, but clear, amid the uproar and confusion. "Paul."

"Hey!" Devine, now on the outside of the ropes, about to climb down to the floor, was glaring at her. "You get—"

"Paul Norcross!"

The boxer started, his head jerking quickly upward.

"Paul! Here I am!"

Locating the voice, he glanced down, color flooding his pale cheeks.

"Paul, I'm not engaged. There's nobody—"

Clang went the gong.

"He didn't tell the truth, Paul. There's nobody else—"

Love's Reaction

WITH a panther bound, Strunk sought to trap Norcross in his corner, but he sidestepped; as the crowd shrilled its excitement Norcross rushed at Strunk, his arms working like pistons. Nothing uncertain about Norcross now.

"Sid down, Miss." A newspaper man pulled Doris gently by the arm, moving over to make room for her. "You can't stand. They're yelling at you. What did you say to Norcross? It's made a lot of difference."

Doris, her eyes fastened upon the figures in the ring, moved back to her own seat. Lannin, leaning forward, was too engrossed to notice her. For the fighters had broken.

Norcross came in with a left to the body, bringing up his right as it landed. The body punch struck solidly, but the right came up glancing, catching Strunk under the lobe of the ear. They were in a clinch again. The referee broke them; and Strunk, coolly feinting with his right, shifted his feet and stepped in with a left hook that caught Norcross upon the chin. Doris wanted to scream. She couldn't.

The fighters stood toe to toe, launching in with rights and lefts.

Suddenly Norcross went down.

He was up, without waiting for the count. Another blow. He went down again. The referee began to count, but Norcross struggled to his feet, standing unsteadily as Strunk advanced, intent upon nothing but landing the finishing blow—so intent that he came in wide open, his right hand poised low for the final punch.

Suddenly, as he was set to deliver it, the reeling figure in front of him straightened and turned. There came a white flash, upward and inward.

Strunk's hands went down. He stood, for an instant, stiffened; then his head fell forward; he plunged to the floor, while the roar of the crowd went surging upward.

"Come on. My money's gone. But it was worth it. Come one. They'll be taking your picture in a minute. You sure pulled a real one this time." Lannin's voice sounded dully in Doris' ears. She lifted her face, smiling. Seizing his arm, she let Lannin tow her into the swirling crowds bound for the exit. . . .

The first rays of sunlight, creeping over the casterly hills, aroused her. The maid was bringing coffee and the morning paper. Doris seized the sheet and was about to open it to the sporting pages when her eyes were attracted by a name in one of the middle columns on the front page—Norcross' name.

After the introductory paragraph, reciting the salient details of the fight, the second paragraph proclaimed:

"Norcross announced after the fight his retirement from the ring. He entered pugilism, he said, for the money there was in the game and that now he has all he desires. He has no ambition to challenge for the championship of the world and will shortly enter business in London or New York."

The morning was practically cloudless—merely a few shreds of the fleeciest sort. The Sound lay a serene blue, shimmering in the level rays of sunlight.

Doris Willing, in bathing suit and robe, left the house and made her way down the rear lawn to the point of land. Here she paused momentarily, as though fearing to look upon the waters and find them desolate.

But they weren't desolate. He was there upon the float—Norcross—so she still thought of him—standing poised, his face directed steadfastly to the shore.

Her voice raised in a ringing hail, she plunged into the rippling waters. . . .

They stood facing each other, their eyes curious, strained, as though wondering at the things new and strange they were seeing.

Then she came close to him, while the wind freshened upon the waters and clouds set sail across the blue.

King James Plotted Against His Mother's Life

King James' Secret, by Robert S. Rait and Annie I. Cameron.

THE sixteenth century is everywhere an age of vivid color. Men were good or bad with an equal thoroughness, whether continuously or by alternations. And Mary Stuart is one of those touchstone characters who call out the worst or the best of all they meet, as showed not least in the matter of her death.

It was not a very creditable business. A country whose law enforced as a fundamental principle that no man should be tried save by his peers permitted the sovereign of another nation, still claiming and widely acknowledged to be regnant, to enter it under its own sovereign's personal safe-conduct, took her prisoner at once on a charge of crimes abroad, of which it refused to make investigation, and thrice offered her to her enemies in her own country on condition she was put to death at once. After eighteen years it put her on her trial before subjects drawn from its own nationals on a charge whose gravamen was an attempt to escape, condemned her to death before the trial was held, and carried out the sentence in circumstances of considerable brutality. Whatever Mary's abstract deserts may have been, it is not a remarkably attractive picture. And the ugliest part in the whole sordid affair is probably that played by Mary's son.

Tradition has not spared his memory. He protested, of course, as decency required. But he has always been charged with counteracting a protest made in public by working privately for his mother's death. It was consonant with his character as known: he had motive, since with the inconvenient Mary out of the way he was Elizabeth's heir through both father and mother, and likely to be accepted. Dr. Rait has now proved the charge very completely, by bringing forward documentary evidence—nothing less, in fact, than the diplomatic correspondence that passed in the affair, both official and private, including holograph letters of both James and Elizabeth and of members of both corps diplomatiques. Thirty-six of these letters have been preserved in a collection of manuscripts made apparently in the early seventeenth century by Archbishop Spottiswoode for his history, and now the property of Sir Victor Warrender, of Lochend. Spottiswoode's nerve failed him when it came to the clear proofs of his master's treachery. He declined to "publish and be damned"—for this world at least—and twenty-one of the letters are now here reprinted for the first time, including those from Melville and the Master of Gray, who were the Scottish envoys in the matter, and the Scottish Ambassador, Archibald Douglas, together with the official correspondence of James and Elizabeth, and in particular a very damning private letter of James to Leicester, declaring in plain terms that his official protest (which is also printed) was not meant to be taken seriously. It ends thus:

"My religioun ever moved me to haite her course, althogh my honour constraynis me to insist for her lyffe. . . I can nocht also omit to thank you for youre cairfull excusing to the quene the planeness of my letter written to William Keith [that officially protesting against Mary's condemnation]. . . And thus richt trusty and well belovit cousing I commend to the holy protectioun of the most Heich."

Elizabeth's letter of apology after the accomplished fact is a curious document. She had made desperate efforts to save her face by getting Mary embroiled in a bogus French plot, and, that failing, tried to get her murdered privately. Being checkmated in this by the honest soldier who was Mary's jailer, and whose (still extant) reply to the suggestion might well have been quoted as a relief to the rest, had to proceed to work more publicly. When all was over she disgraced the servants who had carried out her orders, and wrote to James about "the extreme dolour that overwhelmeth my mynd for that miserable accident. . . God and many mo knowes how innocent I am in this case." Was it cynical humor, or not? James may have thought so, for though his answer demands a share in proceeds, he cannot refrain from a slap at his accomplice.

It is like a grim patch of Elizabethan drama. Chapman and Webster drew such politicians, and Massinger again in The Duke of Milan. The cold treachery and hot arrogance of Gray, the fineness in him that made him Sidney's friend and taught him to have some sense of his own baseness, is that very disharmony, of the new Machiavelli and the older conscience, that shadows so much of the time's literature. We have it here in the words of the men concerned, who were real men, and are now gone to their place. Dr. Rait has framed the letters in a narrative setting that gives very clearly just what we need to know for their comprehension. The book is printed very handsomely in a strong black type whose firm and virile beauty gives it a strange ironic overtone. It is grim reading enough, but memorable.—The Times, London.

Invent Warm Ice for Skating in Berlin

FOR use in the construction of skating rinks, a kind of "warm" ice has been invented by a Berlin chemist. The ice, which looks like hoar frost, is said to have a melting point of many degrees above the ordinary temperature at which ice melts. It is thus possible to skate in an ice-rink without feeling cold. Indeed, the inventor says that with the exercise one need not have more than an ordinary bathing suit and yet be comfortable. The ice will be tested on a new skating rink built at Breslau. It will be poured on the wooden floor, where it will freeze solid in a few minutes, according to the inventor.

Youngest Composer

ERWIN DRESSEL, eighteen years old, is probably the youngest contemporaneous composer to have an opera accepted by a large opera house. His opera, entitled "Poor Columbus," will soon be brought out by the Prussian State Opera at Cassel. Dressel is orchestra conductor at the Municipal Theatre at Hanover. He first attracted nation-wide attention when, at the age of fourteen, he composed the incidental music to Shakespeare's "As You Like It."

Snobs and Parasites—Sure Ways to Make Them

Letting Every Member of the Family "Pull His Own Weight in the Boat"—Altering Home Duties to Fit Changed Homes—Is a Father Much More than a Pocketbook?

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FROM the days of Adam and Eve, all of us parents have wanted—oh, so eagerly!—to spare our children the consequences of our own mistakes.

I have no doubt that no children in this world have ever been so earnestly warned against picking apples as were Cain and Abel. But I am equally free from doubt as to the fact that they had to learn for themselves the unwisdom of stealing.

Because, if we all accepted these great moral truths placidly in youth, we shouldn't make the mistakes that we all make in age. And it is quite clear that the fashionable sins of before the Flood are quite as fashionable as ever.

But even those of us who are philosophical enough to admit this, still cherish that other deep-rooted instinct of all parents, the desire to start our children out into the world with greater advantages than we had—"to give them a better chance," we say.

Theory and Practice

FROM the Czar of all the Russias, who, I am certain, wanted his little Prince to inherit his job better equipped for it than his father (and undoubtedly explained this to him at length), down to the ashman, all fathers feel the same, and make, each one in his special way, their efforts and their sacrifices to accomplish the same end.

Now up to a certain point this is a very fine thing; I take off my hat to it. It was done for me, just as it was done for you, and I have done it for my children, just as other parents. I felt, when I made my plans for their education and their advancement, just as my parents felt about me, and just as you feel about your boys and girls today.

"Well, don't you feel so now?" you ask me. "What's the matter with the idea? Surely it's a good one, a fine one, an honest one?"

How do I feel? I don't know. Frankly, I'm not so sure as I was. In theory, yes; it is a good idea. And more than that, it is an idea so firmly rooted in normal parenthood, so much a part of the state of being a parent, that I doubt if parents will ever lose it. It's as natural as mother's milk—and as inevitable, probably.

But in practice, as I look around me, among the average American families in ordinary, comfortable circumstances, I wonder if it is working out so well as we have always taken for granted that it was.

A Growing Tendency

I WONDER if it isn't just here that we must look for the cause, or one of the causes, of the detachment, the selfishness, the disturbing "independence" of these young people of ours? I wonder if we're not laying too much on the shoulders of the poor old War, and the omnipresent "movies," and that convenient and frisky scapegoat, jazz?

Haven't we, perhaps, alienated these younger members of the family by the simple process of taking all the weight of the family off their shoulders?

We have been blinded to this growing tendency by the fact that, where we see it working itself out most noticeably, in the families of our immigrant population, we can't help admiring it. Democratic as we are, knowing that our great country is the literal gateway of opportunity for the hard-working, ambitious peasant from Europe, we must admit that it is not only touching, but highly commendable for a father to resolve that his son shall not peddle fruit from a cart, for a mother to plan that her daughter shall not wash the floors of office buildings, as their parents did.

Pride in Descendants

WE watch with pride this devoted pair, as they save and slave, and put the barefoot days behind them forever. No one who has ever seen one of these grandmothers, with a shawl still over her head, smiling at her granddaughter in her new, smart little hat, proud of her good marks in the public school, can resist our own pride at what America promised to do, can do, and is doing every day.

"I came over in the steerage—but she knows how to ride in an automobile!" she chuckles—and we chuckle with her. She wins.

But . . . but . . . is this a process to continue indefinitely? Will the results be the same, is the goal as admirable, no matter what the family may be? Do you get the same reaction when the wife of a college professor says:

"I can make last year's hat do, of course, but my daughter must have a new one this Spring: she says they're worn higher this season"?

Some Questions

DO you feel it is necessarily an advance in American family life, when the wife of a comfortable lawyer says:

"We were proud enough when we got the car, but now my daughter must have a two-seater of her own"?

Do you feel touched and sympathetic when the wife of a prosperous business man says:

"I had hoped that my husband and I could take a little trip abroad this Winter, but it cost so much to put in my daughter's bathroom and sitting-room that I'm afraid we shall have to give it up"?

To give your children more advantages—real advantages—than you had, is a fine ambition, no matter who you are. But when it goes as far as to turn two American people, of good birth and breeding and education, into a hard-working couple denying themselves perfectly reasonable comforts and leisures in order to give their children the freedoms and luxuries of richer children, it ceases to be touching and commendable, to my mind, and I am sure that it gives the children a certain good-natured contempt for the parents who do it that these parents realize with bitterness, too late.

If it's such fun to earn more money every year that the greatest kindness you can show a man is to leave him free to do it, and take the money for yourself, as a bribe to leave him free—can you blame women and children for reckoning everything in terms of money?

Only, in that case, such a man must not be surprised if, having got the money, the recipients find other people more interesting than the giver! It is stern logic that if a man can supply nothing but money to his family, nothing but money will be expected of him. And by the amount of that money he will be judged.

Because you can continue this sort of thing indefinitely, and the higher you go in the financial scale, the more difficult you will find your attitude. So absurd as well as difficult will it become, that you will notice that parents who are extremely, notoriously wealthy, are quite aware of the absurdity and show a strong tendency to limit their children's "advantages" very strictly—treating them, if anything, as less wealthy than they actually are, and trying to prevent them from "cashing in" too early on their position.

When the mother is accustomed to step out of her clothes and let her personal maid pick them up, why shouldn't a little girl step out of her clothes and let a nursery maid pick them up?

One parent of my acquaintance actually set two little daughters to washing dishes under the personal supervision of the butler.

Contempt for Parents

"OH, well," you say, "they can afford to take that pose. They're frightfully wealthy. It would be wicked to give children as much as they could. It would be bad for the children."

But why is it any worse—from the child's point of view, I mean—for him to stand on the shoulders of a $400,000-a-year banker than to jump heavily on the shoulders of a $4,000-a-year professor?

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Continued Training

IT is worthy and fine to work hard at shoe-blacking so that your son can continue his studies in the High School—an advantage you never had. But is it necessarily worthy to work overtime as an auditor so that your daughter can go to a more fashionable school than her mother?

It is too late for the mother, because, filled with the truth of the good American watchword that Time is Money, she has saved much money for her children by using her own time for them, and as there is only so much time in the world, she has little left for herself. So that her children begin to pass by her, mentally; to become, honestly, more cultivated than she is.

This is not only unfair—it is unnecessary. It isn't a question of passing school examinations with your children; they are only the mechanics of culture. They will forget them, as you have forgotten them. But good books, good music, good pictures and good plays are grown people's education—and they take time.

They give, in return, freshness and vitality and interest to the mind; they keep it growing, just as the child's mind is kept growing. And the mother whose mind keeps growing keeps pace with her child, which is the surest way of preventing the child from developing into a mental snob, where his parents are concerned.

Father's Job

STILL more responsible is the father, because it is he who is, in the last analysis, responsible for the commercial attitude of his son—an attitude that is bound to shock him, sooner or later. When a boy sees his father working early and late, not for necessities, but for steadily increasing luxuries, which in most cases the father does not share, how can the boy fail to think them of the highest importance?

One of two things must be true: either it is so important to have these things that they are well worth the sacrifice of leisure, intellectual and artistic interests, and the pursuit of family pleasures in common—or else the continual making of more money is by far the most interesting thing in the world, bar none, and no mental or social or emotional life can compare with it. If it's such fun to earn more money every year that the greatest kindness you can show a man is to leave him free to do it, and take the money for yourself, as a bribe to leave him free—can you blame women and children for reckoning everything in terms of money?

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Why Keep Running?

SO that a boy will more readily excuse his mother for not advancing mentally than his father for not advancing financially. And why? Because she has shown him that there are many other ways in which she supports and trains him: a mother is much more than a dictionary. Is a father much more than a pocketbook?

An intelligent man is quite justified in racing to get past the poorhouse. But when that alarming building has long since faded into the background, is he so very intelligent if he keeps on racing?

Is it not true that if in every American home, where the mother is accustomed to do any part of the housework, her daughter took, as a matter of course, her relative share, and that if in every household where the father had some duties, aside from his business or profession (and this is certainly true of the vast majority of American households), the son had definite, boy-size responsibilities, those children would profit by it as much as the family life would profit by it—and that would be a great deal?

A Share for All

IF, as the parents plead, the school exacts too much of the children's time to make this practical, then the schools must cut down their requirements. These same schools complain that too much is put upon them; that they cannot teach character and manners and responsibility.

Of course they can't. Character is hard to develop when you live in circumstances that automatically set you apart as a favored class. Manners are never learned en masse. And responsibility will never grow in anyone who doesn't pull his weight in the boat!

But how shall the children pull their weight? It was easy enough in the old days of American life on the farm. A child was a real asset, then, and not a liability. Every one of them had his or her little "chores." Boys chopped wood, carried kindling, shoveled snow, weeded the garden, helped with the animals; girls wiped dishes, dusted, hemmed napkins, made beds, helped with the putting up of fruit.

Diversified Schools

THESE were not straining, dirty jobs; they were not considered menial or cruelly dull. Certainly, they were not widly interesting, and nobody pretended they were. But it never occurred to anybody that a child's life had to be wildly interesting all the time—it certainly never occurred to the child! Nobody ever felt that it was unfair to give them any responsibilities, since they were going to school.

And yet the present schools are many times more interesting than the old ones, diversified with organized play, and brightened with many entertaining new occupations.

There was a general, and it seems to me, a perfectly reasonable idea that a child's life had very much the same divisions as a grown-up's; personal work, general family obligations, and play. The child's work was school; the family work was light and adapted to its age and size; the play was its own affair.

New Home Duties

NATURALLY, the child, if healthy, would groan over his school work, and try to get out of his home tasks, in order to have more time for play—that was expected! But naturally, also, his family took measures to curb these tendencies, since, after all, responsibility had to be faced and learned. What is the matter with this theory? I can't see that anything is.

Only, of course, we have to alter the home duties to fit the change in the homes. And I admit that there is a problem here. I don't suggest solving it by the amusing method of one parent of my acquaintance, who actually set two little daughters to washing dishes under the personal supervision of the butler!

There is no reason on earth why the younger members of a family should do any different grade of household work from their parents. In any establishment when the mother, for instance, is accustomed to step out of her clothes and let her personal maid pick them up, why shouldn't a little girl step out of her clothes and let a nursery maid pick them up?

Keeping Others Tied

BUT as we all know, relatively few families in America employ butlers and lady's maids. In a family with two domestic employees the mother has not a little to do to keep things running smoothly; in a family with one, she has a great deal. And how many sons and daughters, in such families, live as if the general household business was no interest or concern of theirs?

There are a dozen things a day that take time, that take thought, that take steps, which make family life more practical and comfortable for all. They hang on somebody's mind; they cut into somebody's rest and relaxation; they keep somebody tied to the spot or send somebody off in a hurry. They are more or less regular, more or less foreseen, more or less necessary or desirable. Why shouldn't they be divided? Why should it be a favor when a son or daughter does them?

Adjusting the Matter

IF school athletics and school dramatics and school charities and school amusements consume all the hours of the day and evening, then the school is eating into the child's life too much—or else the child had better go and live in the school. If home is a place to eat and sleep and get your clothes mended—why should it mean much else to you? It wouldn't to me—I'm sure of that.

A child is not a separate order of human beings, a species apart—though one might suppose so, from reading much of the literature about them. A child is only a human being that hasn't grown up yet. He is just like the rest of us, only less so . . . or more so! He needs a stake in the home; that's the first way to teach him community responsibility.

The very very rich and the very very poor find great difficulty in adjusting this matter fairly. And they're both very likely to have trouble with their children. But those of us in the middle, who really need a little help from them and yet are not forced to come down on them too heavily for it, ought to be able to help ourselves and them by demanding, and receiving, such help. We ought to be able to make them feel that their home needs them—and repays them, which is all that a home can do.

Mungo Park's Niger Journey

ONE of the most remarkable features in connection with Mungo Park's first African journey, which resulted in his discovery of the course of the River Niger, is the fact that the most difficult portion of it was accomplished when he was entirely alone and in a state state of absolute destitution.

In 1794 the African Association was seeking a successor to Major Daniel Houghton, who had been murdered in the Sahara Desert while endeavoring to reach the Niger, and Park secured the appointment through the influence of Sir Joseph Banks, the President of the Royal Society. Park landed on the West Coast of Africa in June, 1795 and proceeded to a British trading post at Pisania, 200 miles up the River Gambia, where he remained for some months learning the native languages. He left Pisania on December 2, accompanied by a couple of negro servants, and, after traveling eastward through the territories of several petty native chiefs, he turned northward into the State of Ludamar, which was then governed by the chief of a predatory tribe of nomad Moors.

When Park arrived at the town of Jarra he was taken prisoner by the Moorish chief, and his servants were sent away into slavery. He was a captive for four months, during which he was subjected to considerable ill-treatment and insult, and when he succeeded in escaping he was able to take nothing with him beyond the clothes he wore, his horse and a pocket compass. He resumed his interrupted journey, and during the three weeks between his escape and his arrival at the Niger he suffered terrible privations, for he was only able to secure a meagre supply of food for himself and corn for his horse, which was obtained mostly through the charity of the natives, but was sometimes given in exchange for brass buttons from his coat.

Park was the first European to gaze upon the waters of the Niger, which he reached on July 21, 1796, near to the town of Sego. The native king refused to receive him, but sent him a gift of 5,000 cowrie shells, which were used as money in that part of Africa, and which proved a most welcome present, for 100 shells were sufficient to purchase a day's supply of food for Park and the horse. Park explored the banks of the river for about 300 miles, and then began to retrace his steps to the coast, for he was not only once more destitute and exhausted, but the advent of the rainy season had made further traveling in the river valley impossible.

With great difficulty he reached the town of Kamalia, where he was saved from death by the careful nursing of a kind-hearted negro slave trader. When he recovered he was too weak to travel alone to the Gambia, and he remained at Kamalia until his black benefactor was ready to start for the coast with his next consignment of slaves five months later. Park arrived back at Pisania in June, 1797, after an absence of a year and a half, and on his return to England he published the story of his journey and discovery in his famous book—"Travels in the Interior of Africa." He settled down in Scotland and practised as a doctor, but he found the life irksome and gladly accepted the offer of the British Government to lead another expedition to the Niger. He left England early in 1805, being accompanied by several other men, and on his arrival in Africa his party was augmented by a detachment of white soldiers from the garrison at Goree.

On the march to the Niger dysentry and fever played havoc with the party, and when Park started on a trip down the river his force had been reduced to four Europeans and four natives. The nine men were drowned while attempting to escape from some hostile natives, who had surrounded their boat while it was stranded on a rock, and thus perished Mungo Park, whose courage and perseverance in the face of overwhelming adversity has never been excelled in the annals of African exploration.

Roman Salute Now Usual Throughout Italy

THE Fascist salute is gradually taking the place of all other forms of greeting in Italy. Handshaking is actually forbidden in many important offices and factories. In all the newspaper offices of Rome, the first thing that impresses a visitor is the commissionaire lifting his right arm in the manner of the ancient Roman salute. Notices, prominently displayed, state: "The hand-shake is forbidden. Give the Roman salute." What was originally the exclusive prerogative of the Black Shirts has now become a common custom among the civilian population.

A Page For CHILDREN

Tidying Topsy-Turvy Town

"WISH I hadn't asked Mamma to let me skin these almonds!"

Betsy, who had a large bowl of nuts beside her, spoke from the kitchen floor.

"It's too hard for a little girl like me—only five years old—to work so long."

"Aren't you going to finish them?" asked a whispery voice which came from the direction of the window-sill.

Although Betsy had seen fairies before, it always surprised her when one visited her. This tiny fairy who was dressed in lavender gauze, had wings of thin gold. In her tinkly voice, she said.

"My name is Erianthe, and I ask you once more, aren't you going to finish your work?"

"I'm too tired," Betsy replied. "I need a good rest."

"Then," the fairy sounded a bit cross, 'You shall come with me to Topsy-Turvy Town, and see what becomes of people who won't finish what they've started."

"Are we going to Fairyland?" Betsy asked, as the fairy clapped her pink hands. Then Betsy arose from the floor to look, and as she did so, a beautiful snowbird came winging at the fairy's call, right out of the frosty air. All at once, Betsy felt that she had become the same size as the fairy, while the window-till and the snowbird were high over her head.

The fairy Erianthe placed herself on the bird's back and it flew to the floor.

"Sit beside me, Betsy, and hold tight to the feathers," she ordered, and after a moment, when the showbird began to fly through the window, she added, "I'll have Ammon, my bird, take you to Topsy-Turvy Town, while I go to Fairyland."

At her words, the snowbird, who had been carrying them through Cloudland, dipped suddenly, and stopped before a high golden gate. This was the entrance to Fairyland, so Erianthe stepped down from her winged charger and ran inside the gate. Betsy would have loved to follow, but the bird rose at once into the air. A moment later, he stopped again. Betsy jumped off and looked around just as Ammon flew onward.

The sun was shining on that warm but rickety street of Topsy-Turvy Town. In front of Betsy were floppy houses that leaned this way and that. Some had broken windows, and some had fallen fences. There were big holes in the wooden sidewalks, and weeds grew all over the gardens.

Close to the spot where Betsy was standing the door of a house opened, and out came the queerest girl you can imagine, and she walked down the crookily steps.

"I wish Fingo would finish his work of building this house," grumbled this Topsy-Turvy girl, whose hair was uncombed and tangly, and whose shoes were unlaced. "But, of course," she went on, "Fingo never finishes what he starts—Oh—Hello!" she cried, on seeing the little girl.

"How do you do?" cried Betsy primly. "Doesn't anyone finish anything, ever, here?"

"My! no!" replied the Topsy-Turvy girl, "I'm just about sick of it too. I wish I hadn't been so lazy when we lived in Fairyland. It's a hard punishment for lazy people to stay in the same place with one another. Nothing seems to get done—"

And the poor Topsy-Turvy girl began to cry.

"Oh! oh! I haven't a hanky—and my heel hurts where I didn't finish mending my stocking—and I have a tummy-ache because I ate some pudding that wasn't cooked long enough."

"Don't cry, please!" Betsy said kindly.

The Topsy-Turvy girl dried her eyes on Betsy's hanky. "I tell you what," she cried. "I'll go call everybody to the town hall across the street, and then we'll all have a talk about work."

So saying, the queer, untidy girl took a whistle from her pocket, and blew a note on it. Then hundreds and hundreds of little folk in torn suits and frocks, with long uncombed hair and whiskers, came pouring out of the Topsy-Turvy houses in a great rush for the town hall.

"Now, what shall I say to them," asked the Topsy-Turvy girl of Betsy.

"Can't you just tell them that everything here is dreadful, and that the houses will fall down unless they finish building them," said Betsy.

"You are smart—What is your name, and why did you come here?" asked the Topsy-Turvy girl.

"Well," Betsy told her. "A pretty fairy, called Erianthe, brought me on a snowbird, until—Oh! What's the matter?" Betsy cried, as the funny girl sat down on the wooden sidewalk and hid her face.

"The Fairy Erianthe!" she gasped, as she began to tie up her shoestrings. Oh! Oh! How terrible! I had forgotten that this is the day for the Fairyland Parade, and we have all been so lazy; not a floor is scrubbed, the beds are not made, cobwebs hang from the beams, and the dishes aren't even washed."

Just then, there came the sound of silver bugles, and down the street poured crowds and crowds of gingham fairies in red and white gowns, some carrying mops and pails, some mending balls, some hammers and other tools.

The Topsy-Turvy girl raced into the hall to tell the other untidy folk, while Betsy stood watching the fairies as they ran into the houses, sweeping out the rooms, propping up the walls, filling up the gaps in the windows and fences. You wouldn't have believed all that work could be done so fast.

"Quick! Quick!" cried the gingham fairies, as they entered the town hall with scissors, brushes and combs and mending cotton.

"Take these, you lazy Topsy-Turvy folk and get tidy, before Erianthe comes. Everything must be nice for her as her name means, 'Sweet as a thousand flowers'."

My, the hands of the Topsy-Turvy folk flew, as they cleaned themselves up. The Topsy-Turvy girl was quite good looking, really, with her face washed, buttons sewn on, and her hair combed.

"Make way!" shouted the gingham fairies, as the silver bugles again sounded, and pages in white satin, carrying a heavy golden book, came walking before the Fairy Erianthe and a rosy cheeked little boy who wore a crown on his curls.

"Hail Erianthe! All hail, King New Year! Welcome!" shouted the gingham fairies, as the pages led the way into the town hall, and up on the platform.

"Where is your leader?" called the Fairy Erianthe, "He must put his New Year resolution first in the golden book of the little king."

So Fingo stepped up on the platform and signed.

"I'm going to promise to finish my work, always," whispered the Topsy-Turvy girl to Betsy.

"I see you have learned your lesson, Topsy-Turvy girl," said Erianthe. "You shall return with us to Fairyland. Now Betsy, what are you going to write in the golden book?"

Betsy knew what she wanted to write, only she didn't know what letters to put. She had the end of the pen in her mouth when a voice said:

"Betsy! Betsy! Haven't you done those almonds yet? I wanted to cook them in the oven."

"I'll hurry, Mamma," answered Betsy, who was once more in the kitchen at home. "I've been with the fairies again, and they told me I must finish the work I start, so I won't grow like the foolish folk of Topsy-Turvy Town."

A Christmas Story

ONE Christmas Day in a small village the snow was on the ground and it was very cold. A small boy in rags was shivering in a doorway. He was very thin and pale and his little face was cold and nearly frozen. Around him the people were hurrying by to their different offices and stores.

Now Paul was an orphan and nobody cared for orphans, he thought. For a while he stayed in the doorway and watched the people. Then he went down the street to a baker's store and looked at the different cakes and cookies, wishing he had some of them. Then he wandered down to the railway station to see if he could get a job carrying baggage.

When the train came in an old man saw him and asked him to carry his baggage to the hotel which was at the other end of the village. On the way the old man kept on asking him questions.

"Have you any parents?" asked the old man.

"No, sir," said Paul.

"Would you like me to adopt you?" asked the old man.

"What's that, sir?" said Paul, puzzled.

"Why, to be my boy," said the old man.

"Oh yes, please sir," said Paul.

So Paul was adopted by Mr. Smith and so became Paul Smith.

—Ernest Ball, age 11.

Mount Tolmie.

Though Christmas is over, children will be glad to read Ernest's nice little story.—Ed.

Long Lives of Some Wild Creatures

WE have been reading lately about men and women who have lived for more than a hundred years.

Wonderful as this is, man is far from being the longest lived of the inhabitants of the earth. Many wild creatures whose lives he often takes would, if they were free from his attacks and those of other enemies, live far longer. A record has been kept of some of these lives. It is a little surprising not to find among them "the century living crow," of whom the poet speaks; the elephant, we are told, may expect to reach 150-200 years; the falcon, 162; vulture, 118; golden eagle, 104; swan, 102; while the goose, eider duck, raven, parrot and tortoise may expect to reach between 200 and 300 years of age; carp and pike, 150 years.

Shorter lives are those of the hippopotamus, 40 years; rhinoceros, 40-50 years; crocodile and toad, 40; the horse, ass, dromedary and bear, 40-50; dog and wolf, 10-15; wild pig, 20-30; squirrel, 10-12; beaver, 20-25; domestic fowl, 15-20; and the owl, 68 years.

The Little Red Hen

"I will not," said the duck. "I want to swim."

"I will not," said Big Pig. "I want to sleep."

"I will not," said Bob Cat. "I want to play."

"I will not," said Jack Dog. "I want to run."

"Then I will," said Little Red Hen.

And she planted the wheat.

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Soon the grain of wheat was tall and green.

"Cluck, cluck, cluck!" called Little Red Hen. "See the wheat! See the wheat!"

She called Mother Duck.
She called Big Pig.
She called Bob Cat.
She called Jack Dog.

"Who will cut the wheat?" asked Little Red Hen.

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Discovery of a Mountain Range

HOW many boys and girls know where the rivers Yana, Indigirka and Kolima are? On a good map you will find them in North-eastern Sibera. You may read, too, that their courses vary in length from six to twelve hundred miles.

Until the other day it was believed the land through which they flowed was a level plain, like that which forms the greater part of Russia in Asia.

It has been discovered by an explorer named Obruchev, sent out by the Russia Government, that this is a mistake. He has found a mountain range 600 miles long, through which these rivers run. Some of the mountains are 10,000 feet high.

Mr. Obruchev has named the chain Cherksi, after a former geologist and explorer, who died before his work was finished. So you must add the Cherksi Mountains to your list of the mountains of Asia. What treasures are hidden in them will be discovered ere long, we may be sure.

Hope of a Great Frenchman

A DAY will come when you France, you Russia, you Italy, you England, you Germany, all you nations of the Continent, shall, without losing your distinctive qualities and your glorious individuality, blend in a higher unity, and form a European fraternity, even as Normandy, Brittany, Burgundy, all the French provinces, blended into France.

A day will come when bullets and bombs shall be replaced by ballots, by the universal suffrage of the people, by the sacred arbitraments of a great sovereign Senate, which shall be to Europe what the Parliament is to England, what the Diet is to Germany, what the Legislative Assembly is to France.

A day will come when a cannon shall be exhibited in our museums as an instrument of torture is now, and men shall marvel that such things could be.

A day will come when we shall see those two immense groups, the United States of America and the United States of Europe, extending hand to hand over the ocean, exchanging their products, their commerce, their industry, their art, their genius, clearing the earth, colonizing deserts, ameliorating Creation under the eye of the Creator.—Victor Hugo (1802-1885).

Manners

THERE is a chap about our house
Who is as quiet as a mouse,
I don't know where he keeps himself,
Unless upon the pantry shelf;
His name is Manners.

If we have muffins for our tea,
And I've had two and ask for three,
My mother's always sure to say,
"My dear, we must put that away
For Manners."

When there's plum-pudding or mince pie,
And for some more I plainly sigh,
It's "Now my dear, I know you wish
To leave the last piece on the dish
For Manners."

Or when we've bonbons for a treat,
And I the last one want to eat,
My sister Bell is sure to scream,
"Oh, make him leave that chocolate cream
For Manners."

It seems to me so very sly,
To eat your food when no one's by;
I wish that he would come and shout
To let me know when he's about,
This Manners.

Because, if we could sometimes meet
And have a jolly little treat,
I wouldn't care how much they'd say,
"Now Tom, you must put that away
For Manners."

But no, he is a greedy elf,
Who thinks of no one but himself,
I wish my Dad would turn him out
And send him to the right about,
This chap named Manners.

—Contributed.

Bobbed-Hair Spies Are Recognized by Cut

GIRLS with a distinctive style of bobbed hair, by which they can be recognized as Southern Nationalist agents, are receiving special attention from the police at Peking, states the British United Press. Among the large numbers of women engaged in propagandist work in North China, there is a marked similarity in the style of haircut, they having emigrated from the same centres along the Yangtze River.

Christmas at the Solarium

Told by a Little Girl

EDITOR, Children's Page, Colonist.—The children at the Solarium had a fine Christmas and since have been writing letters home. The enclosed is a copy of one of the many. You may "run" it if you wish.

At the Solarium the children speak of those that can get up and around by themselves as the "ups," while those confined to their beds are called "the beds." "She is a bed'," they say.

Yours truly,
JNO. P. BABCOCK.

Dear Mama:—Christmas come Saturday and went Sunday and I got your pretty book and the hankies with the nice red C and the beeds aunty sent and the pictur of Gip with his ball and I kissed them all but did not cry any this time. And we got lots of things and had a tree Saturday and all lit up and the same Sunday and a lot of grown ups come Saturday and more childrens mamas and dadies on Sunday and one kissed me and befor the tree Saturday the teacher had lots spek peces and we all sung O Canada and some of the childs had black on face and played niggers and George and Clif said to black crows and had black on face but not ears caus ears are hard to clean clean with black and the ups had a santa party with niggers girls and boys and said fun and we lafed and the growd ups did. Then the curtens were took down and we saw the big tree that went by on Friday all lit up to top and lots of red and made snow, and all the beds were run in a good see place and the ups and wheels wer stood on one side and santy come in with big red face and hair on it like old Joe had before he died and santy was Dr. Wace cause when he gave the things he called Billy and Billy said here Dr. Wace and we chered and lafed and the grown ups did and I got a dolly with blue bonet and dress and shoes and the eyes open and shut when it sleeps and all the girls got a dolly but not like mine all differ and got a blow up cat and all the boys got sogers that stand up with guns and tops that work and we had nuts and figs and oranges and benana for supper and sang.

And Sunday we had a stocking on each bed with toys and candy and I got your book and hankies and Anties beeds and I like the book bout the to birds and the nest and the baby birds and the horid worms they eat how can they and the curtin hid the tree and he had it over again and more tops and books and more figs and dats, and I got pictur pusel that don fit rite and Ema made hers fit rite and teacher made mine and its a big cow and my blow up cat bust today. And we dont have schol today just play and dont stay out long caus its cold and snow and the beds were run out and had hot water bag and heads don up warm and come in soon. Bill says the swim pool is ice now and the gulls sit on the snow and the crabs are in water and dont car he said and he seed them.

I have write to days some and teacher say must send today so you get it soon and I love the bird book and the hanky and the beeds and the dolly and Emas dolly has pink hat and mine blue bonet and I love you and Gip and anty lots.

Character of George Washington

NO nobler figure ever stood in the forefront of a nation's life. Washington was grave and courteous in address; his manners were simple and unpretending; his silence and the serene calmness of his temper spoke of a perfect self-mastery; but there was little in his outer bearing to reveal the grandeur of soul which lifts his figure, with all the simple majesty of an ancient statue, out of the smaller passions, the meaner impulses of the world around him.

It was only as the weary fight went on that the colonists learned little by little the greatness of their leader, his clear judgment, his heroic endurance, his silence under difficulties, his calmness in the hour of danger and defeat; the patience with which he waited, the quickness and hardness with which he struck; the lofty and serene sense of duty that never swerved from its task through resentment or jealousy, that never through war or peace felt the touch of a meaner ambition, that knew no aim save that of guarding the freedom of his fellow countrymen, and no personal longing save that of returning to his own fireside when their freedom was secured. It was almost unconsciously that men learned to cling to Washington with a trust and faith such as few men have won, and to regard him with a reverence which still hushes us in presence of his memory. Even America hardly recognized his real greatness till death set its seal on "the man first in war, first in peace, and first in the hearts of his countrymen."

—From "The Short History of the English People," by John Richard Green, first published fifty-three years ago.

Winter and Spring

A ROBIN said: The Spring will never come,
And I shall never care to build again.
A Rose Bush said: These frosts are wearisome,
My sap will never stir for sun or rain.
The Half Moon said: These nights are fogged and slow,
I neither care to wax nor care to wane
The Ocean said: I thirst from long ago,
Because Earth's rivers cannot fill the main.

When Springtime came red Robin built a nest
And trilled a lover's song in sheer delight.
Grey hoar frost vanished, and the Rose with night
Clothed her in leaves and buds of crimson core.
The dim Moon brightened. Ocean sunned his crest,
Dimpled his blue, yet thirsted evermore.

—Christina Rossetti.

Nice Little People—The Pygmies of New Guinea

HORRIBLE tales have been told of the head hunters of New Guinea. It is pleasant to read of a tribe inhabiting that little-known island who have many virtues and of whom little, if anything, that is evil is reported.

The traveler who tells this interesting story is Matthew Stirling and he writes in The World's Work for January. Mr. Stirling, who is a very learned man, went on his long journey to study the little people who were reported to live on the northern part of New Guinea in Dutch territory.

It took the party of about 400 men six months to reach the territory, hemmed in by mountains, where these small people live. They found people who never saw a steel knife or weapon of metal and who knew nothing of railroads and the hundred other contrivances and inventions which we have come to believe we could not live without.

The pygmies are, when grown up, between four and five feet high. They make a fire by means of a split stick, some tinder and a strip of rattan. A small piece of tinder is placed within the fork of the split stick. This is laid upon a small heap of dead leaves on the ground. One foot is placed on the stick to hold it in place and the rattan thong is placed under the fork and drawn backward and forward with a sawing motion. In a very few seconds a smoke is produced and in about ten seconds there is a coal of fire in the tinder. This is picked up with a handful of the dead leaves and blown upon until the leaves take fire and are fanned into a blaze.

The cooking of these little folk is done by means of heated stones. They have but one meal a day, in the late afternoon.

The pygmies live in villages. The villagers are all related and the land is cultivated by all. The work of clearing the land with their stone implements is very toilsome. Bananas, sweet potatoes, sugar cane, taro root and many varieties of berries are grown. The men clear the land but its care and cultivation are left to the women. All, men, women and children smoke tobacco, which is one of the crops. Wild pigs are shot to add to the larder.

No clothes except a loin cloth are worn. The use of water to bathe in was one of the wonders the white men showed the pygmies. Still, we are told, the floors of their houses are swept clean.

The people, young and old, were friendly. They shared their food with the strangers. Though they traded with them they did not attempt to steal or injure their visitors in any way. When the visitors went away tears streamed down the faces of many of their kindly hosts.

Among the interesting things the white men showed their visitors were cakes of soap, mirrors, typewriters and cameras, of which none of them were afraid.

Among themselves the pygmies were kind and friendly. Mr. Stirling saw no sign of men ill-using their wives, though on one occasion a man was roundly scolded by his little wife for having neglected to leave her plenty of wood.

The article is illustrated by many photographs showing that the pygmies have pleasant, intelligent faces. Like their civilized sisters, the women are fond of beads and other ornaments. The discovery of a people who have so little of what we call civilization, but are so good by nature, is very wonderful.

"Do you really believe," asked an interrupter of the Bishop of London, "that Jonah lived three days and three nights in the belly of a whale."

"When I get to heaven I'll ask him," replied the Bishop.

And suppose you don't find Jonah in heaven," pursued his tormentor.

"Then you can ask him."

THIS CANADA OF OURS

A Famous Game of Lacrosse

By J. S. MORRISON

Intrepid Airmen Discover Secrets of Hudson Straits

By A.G. DEXTER

FLYING BASES ON HUDSON STRAIT.
A – NOTTINGHAM Is.
C – WAKEHAM BAY.
C – CAPE BURWELL.
THE TRIANGULAR LINES INDICATE THE THREE PATROLS OPERATING FROM EACH BASE.

THE GREAT CLIFFS TOWERING THROUGH THE MISTS ABOVE THE ARCTIC SEA ARE A TERRIBLE MENACE TO THE FLIERS.

FOR more than two months, six airmen, picked Canadian pilots, have flown almost daily across the wide stretch of coast from the outlet of Hudson Bay to the Atlantic. They have kept watch upon a channel of the sea which, in the future, is destined to become one of the highways of the maritime world—Hudson Straits. Little publicity has been given this truly heroic enterprise.

A few months ago, when the final decision in regard to the terminal port of the Hudson Bay Railroad was announced, the Federal Government realized that within two years the route would be open. The final stretch of the railway to Fort Churchill already was under contract, and would be in operation in 1929. It was necessary to plan at once for the opening of the great inland waterway.

Since early '80's, the navigability of the straits has been in dispute. Investigations by Royal Commission and special committees of Parliament failed to remove doubts. Expert mariners appeared for and against the route. Some placed the maximum period of navigation at four weeks, others at six months. Some declared that no vessel would enter the Straits at any time of year without being specially strengthened below water; others were equally positive that the straits were no more difficult to navigate than the St. Lawrence.

Before committing the country to an expenditure of millions, the Government decided to discover the actual conditions. A few years ago it would not have been possible. Today, with the rapid advance in flying and radio, it was possible, but extremely dangerous.

Hon. Charles A. Dunning, Minister of Railways and Canals, who is directly responsible for the completion of the route, recommended to the Government that an expedition be organized to proceed to the Straits and maintain an air patrol daily, from Nottingham Island to Cape Burwell, a distance of 450 miles, for a period of eighteen months. His recommendation was accepted and the details of the expedition were worked out. It was decided to establish three flying bases, one at Nottingham Island, at the westerly end of the straits; a second at Wakeham Bay, about midway between bay and ocean; and a third at Cape Burwell, at the easterly outlet of the straits. Radio stations at each base would enable the airmen to report daily to Ottawa on weather and ice conditions.

A Romantic Undertaking

IT was one thing to sit in comfortable offices in Ottawa and plan an expedition; another to carry it out. Where could airmen be found to undertake such a hazardous mission? Mr. Dunning called for volunteers. We wanted six; upwards of fifty applied. He has since remarked, laughingly, that there was more demand for a place on the expedition than for a seat in the Senate. Members of Parliament became active lobbyers in response to the urgent demand of constituents. Finally, Mr. Dunning called together a number of doctors, created a medical board, and subjected each applicant to the severest possible physical test. Many were rejected, but more passed all tests than could be accommodated. In the end, the flying records of each physically perfect pilot were examined and the six best qualified were selected.

They are: Flight Lieutenants T. A. Lawrence, of Thornton, Ont.; B. G. Carr-Harris, of Kingston, Ont.; F. S. Coghill, of Stratford, Ont.; A. A. Leith, of Norwood Grove, Man.; A. J. Ashton, of Vancouver, B.C., and A. A. Lewis, of Bristol, England.

These are the airmen who are blazing today the trail of empire in Northern Canada.

Four radio operators were added: H. E. Walsh, S. F. Hudson, C. A. Wilson and W. L. Laurie. Medical officers and a dozen or more mechanics and non-commissioned officers of the permanent force completed the party.

The men were assembled in Ottawa last July 6. Mr. Dunning gave them their final instructions.

"In a certain sense," he said, "it is a romantic undertaking you are embarking upon, because in all my reading of history I have not yet found a similar case, where a sort of massed scientific aid was brought to bear in the development of a new navigation route. We are trying something new in the field of exploratory work of this character in bringing to bear in this large way the courage and skill of flying men equipped with the most modern facilities and supported by the best and most complete appliances which this marvelous age has made possible. It is an opportunity which should enable you to demonstrate the value of your craft in work of this nature, and if you do it successfully, immediately a new vista opens, world-wide in extent with respect to aviation generally."

Expedition Sails

ON July 15 the expedition sailed from Sydney, N.S., for northern seas.

Each plane is driven by a Wright whirlwind engine, generating 200 horse power, and identical to those which carried Lindbergh and Chamberlin across the Atlantic. Their maximum speed is 100 miles per hour. Fur trousers, coats and helmets, of special design, were made to protect the pilots from the icy Arctic winds. Equipment for a complete hospital unit at each base was included. A medical officer, with expert assistants will be in charge. Each base hospital is equipped with complete surgical appliances.

The expedition arrived in the straits in September. All three bases were quickly established and flying commenced October 15.

The shores of the straits are granite cliffs—a menace to flying. They rise hundreds of feet. To airmen, the cliffs are not dangerous in fair weather, but in Autumn, when fog creeps northward from Newfoundland, visibility is low. An airman going at 100 miles per hour could not turn in time to avoid crashing headlong to death. This is the greatest danger which the pilots have found.

The straits have been under daily observation of these pilots, aloft in their cockpits, for nearly two months. Air patrols have been carried out in three directions from each base—East, North and West, so that an area 100 miles wide and 1,200 miles long has been flown over almost every day.

What has been discovered?

The Government is entirely lacking in information about the Straits. It is known that the Straits never freeze over. The current is too fast. However, each Autumn, ice drifts down from Fox Channel into the western end of the straits and, through the straits, to the Atlantic. Green, tough Arctic ice, which the Summer sun could not melt, but only reduce to great irregular chunks. Against such ice, the onset of an icebreaker would be futile. Vast fields of this ice drift into the straits and so it is that mariners have been held icebound month after month.

Flyers Aid Navigators

THE straits, however, are from fifty to one hundred miles in width, and the range of vision of a man on board ship does not exceed twelve miles. Hence the Government has thought it possible that there might be open water in the straits the year around if a ship's captain knew where to find it. Flying patrols, perhaps, might be able to supply this information.

Reports from the flight officers commenced to reach Ottawa October 16, and within two weeks the whole question of the navigability of the straits had been placed in a new position. The most favorable authorities never had placed the closing date for navigation later than mid-October. Yet October 15, 1927, in the straits, dawned fair and warm. Airmen climbed into their machines and soared out over the lonely Arctic waters. No ice was in sight. Not only were the straits free of it, but none could be descerned in the southern reaches of Fox Channel.

November came and still there were no signs of ice. The weeks passed and late in November a patrol northward into Fox Channel returned with the information that an ice pan was slowly drifting southward. Not until the first week in December did it reach the straits. By December 10, the airmen reported that a huge ice pan blocked the western entrance to the straits, stretching from Nottingham Island to the Coast of Labrador. Raging storms prevented flying. It might be possible that there was open water to the north of the pan, but it is not likely.

Whether or not the ice pan moves eastward through the bottle neck and drifts into the wider part of the straits, leaving open water on either side, is immaterial. Air patrols have proved beyond question that navigation in the straits this year continued uninterrupted almost as long as on the Great Lakes. This, in itself, justifies the expedition and will greatly strengthen the position of the Government in asking Parliament next session for the necessary money to complete the route.

Their task will not be completed until the Spring of 1929, when the Government will decide if further air patrols are required.

Wonders of Mayan Art Disclosed by Latest Excavations in Yucatan Ruins

THREE working seasons ago the Temple of the Warriors, Chichen Itza, Yucatan, in Central America, to the eye of the casual observer seemed nothing more than a tree-covered mound of debris rising fifty feet above a heavily-wooded plain. Today, as a result of the work of the archaeologists of the Carnegie Institution of Washington, this sanctuary of Kukulcan, the patron deity of Chichen Itza, gives visible proof of ancient magnificence. It is now clear that the Temple of the Warriors is by far the most elaborately decorated building at Chichen Itza, once the capital of the New Maya empire and once containing a great number of imposing structures. Indeed, it is also evident that it is one of the most beautiful examples of Maya architecture extant.

For centuries the splendid limestone structures of the greatest of America's aboriginal races have been assailed by nature's relentless forces. Wind and rain have remorselessly beat upon them. Roots of giant trees have riven roots and walls, abandoned and unprotected as they were by man. As a result most of the one-time magnificent buildings have been reduced to huge piles of fallen masonry. The task of the archaeologist, attempting to repair these structures, consists of clearing these mounds of trees and underbrush, digging out and identifying the fallen structural elements, and returning them to their original positions. This replacement work on the Temple of the Warriors has now gone about as far as it is possible to carry it with the certainty that it faithfully conforms to the structure as it originally stood.

The temple proper rests upon a pyramidal foundation thirty-seven feet high and 136 feet square at the base. The hearting of the pyramid is of masonry and is faced with cut or dressed stone. The pyramid foundation rises in four retreating terraces. Each of the vertical parts of these terraces, except the topmost one, carries a richly sculptured frieze, consisting of eagles, jaguars, warriors and an unknown quadruped which the institution's archaeologists, for want of a better name, have called "the wooly." The design of the friezes comprises a repetition of alternating pairs of warriors and pairs of bird or animal figures.

The figures of the warriors are placed feet to feet, their faces turned from each other. In general the bird and animal figures have their backs toward each other while they hold what appear to be human hearts in their claws or forepaws. They seem to be offering these to the warriors whom they face. The warrior figures themselves wear elaborate costumes which still bear traces of the blue, red and green paint with which they were originally decorated. Staffs or javelins from which plumes descend in long and graceful curves are held in their hands.

Curious Stairway Is Bared

A CURIOUS stairway, thirty-four feet wide, containing thirty-six stone steps, ascends the front or west face of the pyramid at an angle of sixty-six degrees with the horizontal. Two stone balustrades four feet wide, carved to represent feathered rattlesnakes, rattles at the bottom, fanged heads at the top, flank the stairway.

Mounting the stairway, one reaches a broad terrace directly fronting the temple portal. Two massive feathered serpent columns, with heads on ground and tufted tail-rattles rising fifteen feet above, divide the temple entrance into a triple doorway.

In front of this awe-inspiring portal is a reclining human figure, life-size, carved in limestone. Such figures are known as Chac Mools, one of the minor Toltec deities. They are always represented as of human form reclining on back and elbows, with knees drawn up, arms pressed tightly to sides and upliftted head turned to one side. The abdomen is always flattened or hollowed out, presumably to serve as a receptacle for incense and other offerings.

Passing through the serpent-column doorway, one enters a spacious hall, sixty feet long, thirty-one feet wide and originally probably twenty-two feet or even more in height. Its corbelled-arch roof is supported by twelve square columns, each sculptured and painted with figures of warriors. This hall gives access through a carved doorway in its rear wall to the sanctuary of the temple of the same size as the outer chamber, its roof being upheld by eight square sculptured and painted columns.

Against the back wall of the sanctuary is a platform, whether altar or throne has not yet been determined, some fourteen feet wide, eight feet deep and two and two-thirds feet high, resting on nineteen painted statuettes carved in the likeness of human beings.

Copies Made of Murals

THE walls of both the outer hall and this inner sanctuary were originally covered with fine white plaster and then brilliantly painted with scenes of domestic life, of battlefields and of religious ceremonials. These murals have been copied wherever sufficient traces of the original were distinguishable.

But this was not all that the institution's archaeologists found buried in the great mound of debris which concealed this splendid temple. During the first season of work (1925) E. H. Morris, in immediate charge of excavations at Chichen Itza, found a square sculptured column buried in the northwest corner of the pyramid, seventeen feet below the floor level of the Temple of the Warriors. He surmised then that some earlier building had been dismantled and filled in to make way for the later and larger construction.

During the 1926 field season this conjecture became a certainty. Excavations in the northwest corner of the pyramid in front of this sculptured column disclosed two other carved columns lying in line with the first. These still preserved their original brilliant hues—reds, yellows, greens, blues and blacks. Just in front, dismantled and broken, lay the enormous heads and tufted tails of the two great serpent columns which had formerly guarded the portal of this earlier temple.

Never before have such colors been seen by the expedition at Chichen Itza. It was obvious at a glance that this older temple had been dismantled and buried in the masonry of the pyramid which supports the later Temple of the Warriors while the paint on it was still fresh and vivid. Because the light of day had not reached it for centuries, perhaps for as many as six, its pigments apparently have been preserved at the highest point of original brilliancy.

Ancient Figure Found

THE final excavation of this buried temple was one of the principal activities at Chichen Itza during the season just brought to a close. The results exceeded the archaeologists' fondest hopes. The Chac Mool figure belonging to this earlier temple was found lying on its back at the southern end of the outer chamber. Except for a broken nose and a broken lock of hair, it was in excellent condition. The carving, protected as it has been from weathering, was practically in a perfect state of preservation. The eyes and finger nails would seem to have been made of some sort of an inlay, jade, shell or obsidian, which, however, had been picked out in ancient times, before the figure had been walled up in this earlier temple.

The walls of the buried temple were brilliantly painted with great writhing serpents. Two of these, one on either side of the entrance, extend around the three walls in reverse directions and meet at the opposite doorway. They are enormous reptilian creatures with clawed legs, feathered pendants and pointed crests, painted red, yellow, blue and black.

In two places on the plaster of the walls some idle hand had scratched the outline of a human figure, arms above the head, palms up, as if supporting something. Perhaps this was a study for the Atlantean columns upon which rested the throne or dais which once projected from the black wall. This throne was completely destroyed when the temple was originally dismantled and the Atlantean figures carried away. There are grounds for believing that they were reused in the Temple of the Warriors above. The reason for so thinking lies in the fact that the nineteen Atlantean figures supporting the throne in the newer structure were too tall for the positions they occupy, so they were buried below the floor level of the Temple of the Warriors up to their knees. Little dummy feet of stucco were built out from the knees to give the effect that they were standing on the temple floor.

In the sanctuary of this buried temple a sculptured and painted column was found which in brilliance exceeds anything heretofore unearthed in the Maya area. The figure on the column holds a round fan in its hand. Delicate details of costume—embroidery, feather work, tassels, as well as parts of the body, nails, hair, etc.—are clearly brought out by outline in black against brilliant colors. The amazing effect thus gained is barbaric in its splendor.

Dr. Sylvanus G. Morley, in charge of the institution's activities in Yucatan, states that, much to the gratification of himself and his staff, it was found that this earlier temple was roofed over and inclosed by the masonry filling of the pyramid, of which it was a part, in a way such that the original structure, in so far as the workmen had left it standing, was preserved.

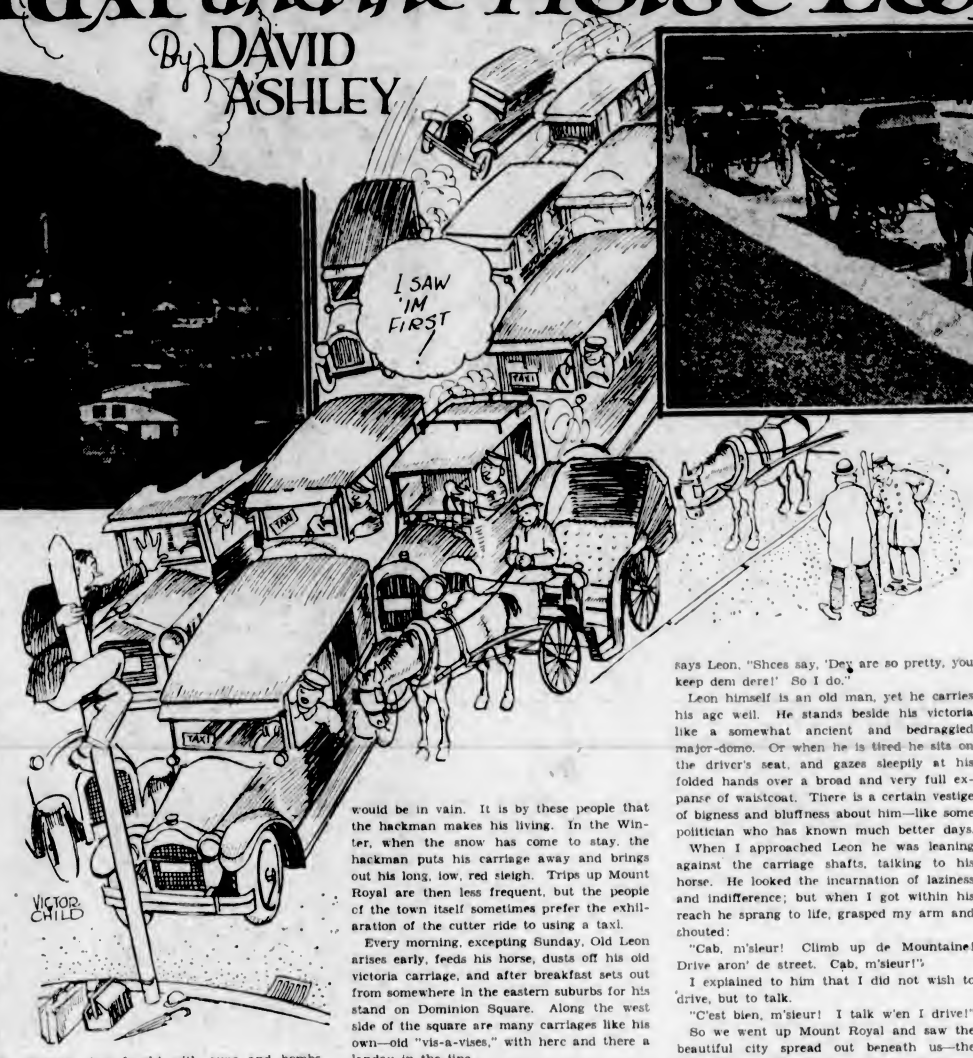
The excavation and repair of the Temple of the Warriors is but one of several Maya operations upon which the Carnegie Institution is working. Extensive excavations are being made in a still more ancient part of Chichen Itza in the attempt to trace the course of the architectural development of the city. Work is going forward also on the repair of the Caracol or astronomical observatory, the oldest structure of its kind in the New World. It is hoped that 1928 will see the completion of this undertaking. Expeditions have also been made to distant regions where new Maya ruins have been discovered and examined.

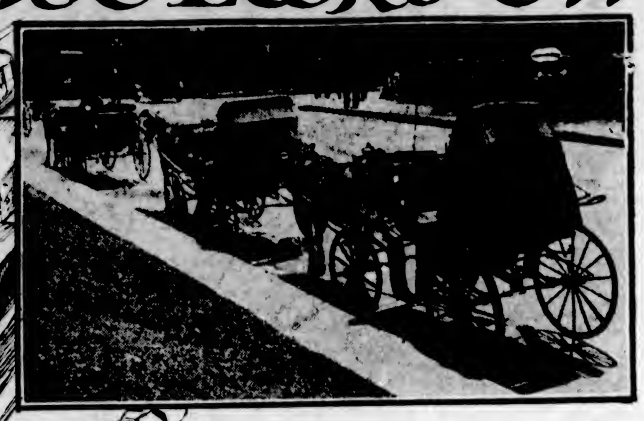
Dr. Morley reports that relations of the utmost friendliness and cordiality have been maintained throughout with the Mexican officials under whose jurisdiction the Institution is carrying on this work. A spirit of co-operation and of mutual assistance has developed which will have far-reaching effects in the development of this rich field of archaeological science.

Taxi Fights Taxi and the Horse Looks On

By DAVID ASHLEY

Looking Towards Mount Royal, With the Hospital Prominent.





The Horse Cab Is Still Seen on Montreal Streets.

SHADES of Jehu! A city of a million souls; street railways, speeding taxis, thundering locomotives!—all the modern means of transportation—yet the people ride in hacks!

Any day in Montreal one may see horse cabs, vehicles of yesteryear, lined up at Dominion Square, in the shadow of St. James' Cathedral and the Windsor Street Station. They never seem to move. The horses stand in the sun, rain and snow, shifting their weight from leg to leg, head drooping low, while the hackmen chatter in groups, or call their trade into the deaf ears of disinterested passersby. Street cars and taxis rush by. The sea of life streams all around them; but the hackmen, like wreckage of the past, lie stranded on the old city square.

While the old cab drivers are eking out their living on the square, the taxi companies are engaged in a battle to the finish.

Until two years ago taxi drivers operated peacefully and profitably in Montreal. There were plenty of cabs for the city's needs—none too many, and none too few. Then a new company was started. Five hundred new cars of a well-known color were imported, and the taxi business was overcrowded. Three large companies each operated five hundred cars, and there were easily another five hundred driven by individual owners. To operate profitably one company would have to monopolize the taxi business of the city. The large companies started to reduce their rates, one concern under-cutting the others. The individual drivers could not meet competition alone, so they joined forces and now operate as "associations."

Rates were slashed from sixty cents a mile to twenty-five cents a mile. One company even went as low as ten cents a mile, but soon had to employ reason and return to a higher rate. This same company, the one that started all the trouble, is now working under difficulty. Competitors have retained the old tariff as much as possible, and have replaced old cars with beautiful new sedans. As a result, the cars of a well-known color are being shipped away ten and fifteen at a time.

Taxi drivers in Montreal do not make large fortunes. Although they may be members of a company or an "association," they are not salaried employees. They must buy their own cars, pay for their own gas and oil, keep their cars in order at their own expense, and at the end of each month turn in a certain sum to the association of which they are members.

The company that seems to do the largest business in Montreal will afford matter for the study of a taxi driver's profits.

Montreal Taxi Profits

TO join this company the driver must own a sedan of a certain type, costing $3,300. He must pay $900 to become a member. Each month he must give $40 to the association, and each year he must pay $10 for a driver's licence. If his car is good for three years, his expenses during that time, exclusive of gasoline, oil and repairs will be $5,670.

Cost of car	$3,300
Contract with the association	900
Association fee at $40 per month for three years	1,440
Driver's licence at $10 a year for three years	30
Total investment for three years	$5,670

If he drives for nine hundred days during the three years, he must make $6.30 a day to meet the above expenses alone. Adding $5 a day for his wage, he must earn $11.30 a day to justify his labor.

The particular company to which he belongs charges its passengers an average rate of fifty cents a mile; and their operating cost (gasoline, oil, etc.) is five cents per mile, leaving a profit of forty-five cents for each mile.

By a simple calculation of the above figures it can be seen that to make $11.30 a day the driver must travel 25.11 miles, with a passenger in his car every inch of the way. As passengers seldom travel more than one mile at each trip, the driver must locate twenty-five "fares" before he can call it a day. Is that an easy matter with one thousand nine hundred and ninety-nine other drivers competing?

And so the battle rages. Is it any wonder that taxi drivers and companies grow frantic in their attempts to live? Who wouldn't with a handicap of $6.30 to face each morning? There are too many cars; some of them must go. The fittest will survive; and the fittest are those who hustle the most, and those who have the greatest financial backing. The "Montreal Taxi War" has not yet, and probably never will become as serious nor as vindictive as the recent Chicago struggle. In Chicago they fought with guns and bombs. In Montreal they use the power of advertising and the power of their lungs. Victory goes to the man who yells the loudest and is the quickest at snatching grips.

Jehu Does Not Worry

WHILE association fights association and drivers vie with each other for business, the hackman leans back in his cab, and his horse pays no more notice than an occasional disdainful switch of the tail when a taxi rattles by too close for comfort.

The city fathers of Montreal have passed a law forbidding the use of automobiles in climbing Mount Royal. To view the city from the heights of the Mount the traveler must either climb afoot or hire a hack. In Summer hundreds of tourists visit Montreal, and, like all tourists with limited time and money, are in a hurry to "do" all the sights. They "do" the churches, the docks, the taverns; and they simply must "do" the mountain or their visit would be in vain. It is by these people that the hackman makes his living. In the Winter, when the snow has come to stay, the hackman puts his carriage away and brings out his long, low, red sleigh. Trips up Mount Royal are then less frequent, but the people of the town itself sometimes prefer the exhilaration of the cutter ride to using a taxi.

Every morning, excepting Sunday, Old Leon arises early, feeds his horse, dusts off his old victoria carriage, and after breakfast sets out from somewhere in the eastern suburbs for his stand on Dominion Square. Along the west side of the square are many carriages like his own—old "vis-a-vises," with here and there a landau in the line.

Leon's victoria is a beautiful thing. Shining black mudguards sweep down to form low steps and curve up gracefully over slim, rubber-tired wheels. Two seats face each other, with red velour cushions and backs upholstered in black leather. The small driver's seat in front is flanked on either side by a large glass lantern. The scrollwork on the dashboard shines, like all the metal furnishings, in bright nickel, and the woodwork reflects perfect images from its black, lacquered surfaces.

Poor Old Dobbin

LEON'S horse stands all day in sun and rain, with dolefully drooping head, shifting its weight from leg to leg as the hours drag by. Its harness is plain black, except for the snow-white pads under the collar and the hamestrap. An artificial rose is stuck in the bridle near the horse's ear, and other roses rest inside the carriage lanterns.

"A leetle girl, shees put dose flower dere," says Leon. "Shees say, 'Dey are so pretty, you keep dem dere!' So I do."

Leon himself is an old man, yet he carries his age well. He stands beside his victoria like a somewhat ancient and bedraggled major-domo. Or when he is tired he sits on the driver's seat, and gazes sleepily at his folded hands over a broad and very full expanse of waistcoat. There is a certain vestige of bigness and bluffness about him—like some politician who has known much better days.

When I approached Leon he was leaning against the carriage shafts, talking to his horse. He looked the incarnation of laziness and indifference; but when I got within his reach he sprang to life, grasped my arm and shouted:

"Cab, m'sieur! Climb up de Mountaine! Drive aron' de street. Cab, m'sieur!"

I explained to him that I did not wish to drive, but to talk.

"C'est bien, m'sieur! I talk w'en I drive!"

So we went up Mount Royal and saw the beautiful city spread out beneath us—the Royal Victoria Hospital at our feet; the dome of St. James in the middle distance; ships on the river east and south—and while we drove Leon talked in broken English, telling of his career as a hackman.

"Forty year ago I come from across de reevair an' get a job for drive de cab. In dose tam we make plenty money; but now it ees ver' hard."

The Mountain Their Friend

THE first competition the hackman met was provided by the horse car, the predecessor of the modern street railway. A few years later the "horseless carriage" came.

"One day," said Leon, "I saw one of dem t'ings on the street! Mon Dieu! How I laff! Someone start to say, 'Pret' soon ev'rybody 'ave one, and de cab shees go! Ha, ha! I laff like I'm seek!"

The great blow came with the organization of taxi companies. It seemed the horse cab would become as extinct as the fabled dodo.

But Mount Royal was the cabbies' friend. No self-propelled vehicle was allowed on its slopes. The few hacks that had weathered the storm of time and the floods of modern invention came in from the streets and gathered around Dominion Square.

On the way back to the city I asked Leon how much he made by his trade.

"Well," he mumbled. "Some tam I'm mak-much, some tam I'm mak not'ing. In Summer w'en de touris' come, I mak' two, maybe t'ree trips a day. Once in ver' long tam I mak' four. But de begges' day for many year I make seex. Den it was lak' ol' tam. I was happy.

"In Winter tam I don' get many trips up de Mount. At night young fellows came to ma and h'ask me to drive dem aron' wit' their girls."

When I asked him why there were no caleches in Montreal as there were in Quebec City, he said the caleche is unsafe for Mount Royal.

"Parbleu! Non! I don' drive de caleche! Shees not safe for people or for de horse. Shees heavy in de back. Maybe shees tip w'en shees go up le montaine. An' de horse catch hees feet some tam!"

"Have you any regular customers?"

"Oh, yes! Ev'ry Spring dere's two ol' people come from somewhere. Dey like to ride in my cab, jus' lak dey use to ride w'en dey were young, before dey get married. Dey sit and hold their hands, an' look in each other's eyes an' smile. An' I am happy, too, jus' lak dey are!"

Each cab owner pays ten dollars a year for his driving licence. The cost of cab upkeep is small, but the horses' feed bill is a large item. Leon says he can keep his horse on four dollars a week. Four dollars is a large sum to a man of his means. On a good day he makes two or three trips; more often he makes none at all. But what he loses one week he may gain the next, and barely manage to break even, or a little better. His children are now grown up and able to fend for themselves, so he has only himself, his wife and his horse to provide for.

It was late when we finished the descent, and Leon left me at the hotel on his way home. As he drove away he was looking at Mount Royal to the north, and there seemed to be a tender light in his eyes. Mount Olympus was never worshipped by ancient Greece with more loving gaze than was Mount Royal by Leon the hackman.

Big Increase in Diamond Prices Since Great War in Spite of Larger Output

WHEN the famous Nassak diamond was placed on exhibition in New York recently, a new turn was given to the popular interest in diamonds in that the United States is adding more and bigger diamonds to its already huge collection of stones, paintings by old masters, old furniture, tapestries, precious manuscripts and other works of art from foreign sources.

The introduction of this diamond has brought up the question if a diamond is a vanity, an ornament of more or less vulgar display, or a work of art. When the Nassak was brought here it passed the United States customs as a work of art, an antique. Since then other jewelers have disputed this contention and the customs courts will pass on the matter this month.

The contention of the importer is that such large diamonds maintained in Europe in museums, or used for public state occasions by royalty or the nobility, are regarded as works of art in Europe and that in the United States, where there is neither royalty nor nobility, such stones, with their elaborate settings, in reality belong to museums and if bought by private individuals such individuals buy them for their beauty as they would any other work of art.

Largest Purchaser

SEVENTY per cent of all the diamonds sold in the world are bought in the United States, it has been stated. The diamond per capita wealth of the country is by far the highest in the world or in history. Never before has the diamond been so widely distributed among all classes of society. The unprecedented purchasing power of the United States is attributed largely to the fact that working people are in a position to buy and wear diamonds and are availing themselves of the opportunity. In other countries diamonds are purchased almost exclusively by the limited wealthy or well-to-do class.

Foreign visitors to New York point out that no cities of Europe compare with America in the number and size of the shops displaying and selling diamonds. Even in the so-called poorer quarters of New York there are few blocks without their jewelry stores. A survey recently completed reveals the surprising fact that about $4,000,000,000 worth of diamonds are at present owned in the United States. The per capita diamond wealth is approximately $200 for every family throughout the country.

As a result of this enormous purchasing power the republic is attracting the largest and finest diamonds to its shores. The best stones or most of them are culled from the great European markets. The poorer grades, especially the colored stones, or those with obvious flaws, find little or no sale. It is interesting to find that several of the largest diamonds in the world which have had long and dramatic histories, also have gravitated to America.

Factor in Trade

WITH the sudden increase in America's power of consumption the country is fast becoming a factor in the distribution and control of precious and semi-precious stones. A firm has just been granted permission by the Russian Soviet Government to work the incalculably valuable gem mines of the Ural Mountains. This region has yielded the largest and finest emeralds for centuries, as well as other valuable colored stones. In the past a great wealth of platinum was obtained from the Urals, which are believed to contain ninety per cent of the known platinum deposits of the world.

These mines were worked a thousand or more years ago by slaves. During the reign of Peter the Great a great boom was experienced, but the methods of mining always have remained comparatively primitive. Under American management the newest machinery will be introduced and the work speeded up. It is confidently expected that the yield of precious stones from these mines will far exceed anything in the past.

To meet the demand for diamonds and other precious stones, mining operations have come to be carried on with amazing energy and ingenuity. If the mining methods of the past were to be used today the world would be threatened with a diamond famine. In the middle of the last century, incidentally, fears were common that the diamond supply would fail to meet the demand. The use of diamonds in engagement rings alone is considered so indispensable that a reduction of the supply would be a serious matter. The discovery in 1867 of the South African diamond fields served to remove this danger. Today ninety-eight per cent of the world's diamonds originate in British South Africa.

The recovery of diamonds even from the richest mines involves far more labor than is generally realized. The stories of lucky finds of large stones have given a false impression. A few diamonds of great value have been picked up by chance, but the output as a whole is obtained after long and arduous work.

Difficulty of Recovery

IN the South African fields it is necessary to mine and handle about 70,000 tons of earth to obtain ten pounds of rough diamonds. The diamond-bearing earth is found in fissures, the larger parts of which are known technically as "pipes." The ground is known as "kimberlite" and more commonly, from its color, "blue ground." The blue ground is rather hard and can be mined only with the use of dynamite. After it has been exposed to the elements for some months it is pulverized and can be worked with comparative ease.

Out of long experience in diamond mining a highly efficient method of searching for the gems has been developed. The blue ground is mined on a number of levels and by means of gravity passes to the trucks on the lowest hoisting level of the mine. The trucks are, in turn, hauled along a tunnel by a rope or electric locomotives to the vertical shaft, through which they are hauled to the surface. On reaching the shaft the diamond-bearing earth is tipped into loading chutes, from which it passes into skips of ten-ton capacity, which are in turn hoisted quickly to the surface.

The surprising amount of labor entailed in the search for diamonds is strikingly visualized in recent photographs of the Premier diamond mine, at Pretoria, South Africa. An area of hundreds of acres has been excavated to a depth of some 1,200 feet. Complete villages have been built at the bottom of this amazing shaft for the workmen. Looking down from the edges, the mine has the appearance of an extended natural valley among steep mountain ranges.

Under the new system of working the diamond fields, the blue ground is concentrated down to the diamond in two processes. Pieces of blue ground more than six inches in diameter are first put through a set of crushers, while the smaller pieces are by-passed. From the first set of crushers the earth is trucked to other crushers, where it is all finally reduced to pieces of about two inches. It has been found that this size minimizes the chance of injuring the larger stones.

Stones "Panned" Like Gold

THE first separation of diamonds from the crushed ore is carried on exactly as gold was "panned" in the early days of placer mining, only on a much larger scale and is done by machinery. The crushed ground is then fed, together with a supply of water, into pans having an inner and an outer rim, between which the mixture is mechanically agitated, thus allowing diamonds and other heavy material to sink to the bottom of the pan toward the outer rim and away from the overflow on the inner and lower rim, while the lighter material is carried off. The result is that the larger diamonds are retained in these first pans and the overflow containing smaller diamonds passes through rolls set close enough to break up the ground into the smallest size desired.

And now finely crushed ground is carried to a second set of pans, where the remaining diamonds are retained and the overflow goes to form the huge waste dumps seen near the treatment plants. By the time the ground from the mine has been through these processes about ninety-eight per cent has been thrown on to the tailings dump and two per cent containing the diamonds has been retained in the pans. A few small and inferior diamonds are unavoidably carried away with the overflow, but it would be uneconomical so to refine the process as to catch them. In any case, they are always in the dumps and can be recovered if at any time such a course becomes desirable.

The Pulsator

THE two per cent of ground left in the pans is drawn off and taken to a central machine—a pulsator—where the final concentration takes place by means of "jigs"—the lighter concentrates being carried away with water when only the diamond and other very heavy concentrates are retained. The residual concentrates are then carried on to sloping, shaking tables which are coated with petroleum jelly and from them practically everything but the diamond is carried away by a stream of water—the diamonds adhering to the jelly, or grease.

The diamond adheres to the grease, not because of its high specific gravity, for other material with a higher specific gravity does not so adhere, but is carried away by the water. Possibly the reason is that the surface of the diamond is so close-grained that it is impossible to wet it; therefore a dry surface is presented to the grease and the diamond sticks while other material is wetted and cannot stick.

At intervals the grease, with the adhering diamonds and the few concentrates which, owing to their irregular shapes, cannot be carried off the tables, is scraped off and placed in perforated pots, which are put into vats of boiling water to get rid of the grease. The diamonds and the few remaining concentrates are then taken to the sorting tables, where the diamonds are picked out by hand.

Sorting Diamonds

FROM the pulsator the diamonds are taken daily to the head office, where experts assort them into various standard qualities and value them, after which delivery is made to the buying syndicate, which ships them to London. In London the syndicate disposes of the diamonds to buyers from all parts of the world. These buyers in turn sell to smaller dealers and the latter to others and so on until the diamonds reach the jeweler and finally the public.

The world's annual purchase of diamonds is valued today at about $150,000,000. The famous Premier mine of South Africa has yielded since the beginning of operations in 1903, some 25,000,000 carats of diamonds. Despite this output the demand for diamonds continues to increase.

For centuries diamonds sold for about $100 a carat, but following the World War the price was advanced to $800 a carat, thus proving an excellent investment for old holders of stones. The experts agree that despite the improved methods of mining diamonds their price in the future may gradually rise to higher levels.

This is one of the rare instances in commercial history where price has risen with quantity. Since 1550 and until 1910, the price per carat of diamonds varied but little, remaining under $200. With the World War the price began to rise, because diamonds were safer than paper money as a value and because of the wider buying power of average people.

Average Price

AT the present time the average retail price of $800 per carat for the standard blue-white stone is in part due to popular confidence in the diamond as money well invested, partly to increased cost of production, and partly to the standardization of prices fixed by the British diamond syndicate, which controls the output and slowly releases new quantities of diamonds in such manner as not to lower current values.

Of course, many diamonds are still sold for $200 a carat, at wholesale, and many very fine stones may bring $1,000 a carat, according to cutting, quality and size. The stone that brings the most a carat, other points being equal, is often the two-third-carat stone.

One of the many peculiar facts about big diamonds is that they often disappear entirely from the ken of men for centuries. One such is the Great Mogul, the largest Indian diamond, weighing 787 carats, later reduced to 240 carats, which disappeared in 1739 after the sack of Delhi. The Orloff, 194¾ carats, once in the point of the sceptre of the Russian crown jewels, has likewise disappeared.

These large diamonds may become drugs on the market, except for use in royal crowns and like show purposes. In New York at the present time is the Tiffany diamond, 125½ carats, kept in the vaults of the firm of that name. There is also the Black, Starr & Frost diamond, of 172 carats, with an estimated value of $450,000.

The Sancy, 53½ carats, is another famous diamond held awaiting a possible sale. This Indian diamond, bought in 1570 by M. de Sancy and sold to French kings, was once worn by Queen Elizabeth of England.

Ridin' the Grub Line

By E. N. DAVIS

BANFF, in the Canadian Rockies, can boast stranger tramps than any other city, village, or what you will, in the world.

They are the mule-eared deer, timid, shy animals usually associated with the darkest of dark woods or the most solitary of hidden open flats or terraces in secluded mountain valleys.

But in Banff these beautiful creatures "ride the grub line" in Winter, as down-at-the-heel cowpunchers in slack seasons during the old Western cattle days rode the "grub line" from ranch to ranch, staying at each establishment as long as their hospitality lasted.

To the city dweller sojourning in the mountains it is a marvelous sight to see these docile creatures gazing with silent disdain at a snorting automobile as it passes a few feet away. To the inhabitants of the village, it is a no more uncommon sight in Fall and Winter to see half a dozen deer reclining on the front lawn or rummaging in garbage pails for potato peelings than to see a dog chasing the alley cat.

In fact, there are few places in the world where one can be closer to nature than in Banff, where not only the deer, but elk, moose and big horn Rocky Mountain sheep almost crowd down upon the town, safe in the knowledge that the law protects them on the 5,000 square mile game reservation.

Retire to Woods

IN Spring, of course, the deer, the most venturesome in their careful, timid, ever-watchful way, forsake the centre of the town for the cool depths of primeval forests on the mountain slopes. There the does give birth to the fawns, which are fed and kept carefully hidden until old enough to evade natural enemies of the woods almost as well as the older animals.

These woodland parents know that somewhere a blood-thirsty cougar or mountain lion, a huge tawny cat, is lurking in the tree tops ready to pounce upon a tender meal which a fawn would make.

A few deer do venture into the village in Summer, much to the delight of the tourists, who marvel at the utter nonchalance with which they gracefully skip about on the boulevards. But it is only when Winter comes that the deer enter the portals of the town in large numbers. During that season of the year it is estimated from 2,000 to 3,000 of the graceful "tramps" are occupied mostly with "ridin' the grub line."

One seldom pokes a head out of door and inhales a few lungfuls of frosty ozone in taking in the milk for breakfast without looking into the soft eyes of a half a dozen or more deer who are quietly crunching potato or apple peelings left in the garbage pails.

As their paws work from side to side, and wreathes of frost-condensed "steam" come from their nostrils they look up appealingly, wiggling their queer mule-ears and flicking their bob tails as if to say:

"Sure, we're hungry. Rather a cold night last night, and we'd appreciate anything special you happen to have around."

A Frank Appeal

HOW could you spurn such a frank though dumb appeal?

Bread crusts must be found, soaked in warm milk and mixed with the scourings of the porridge pot, and with perfect manners the two bucks, three does and two yearling fawns help themselves without the least suggestion of hoggishness or greed.

Every morning the same group is on the job at exactly the same time, and a little later, about the time potato peelings and other leavings from the preparations under way for lunch are thrown out, a second and a different bunch are eagerly waiting at the doorstep or lurking along the fringe of pines or spruce nearby, intently eyeing the house for the opening of the door.

Few animals, by the way, display such easy grace as they do, running, walking, or simply eating.

Mountain Goats Near Banff

A study of the habits of the deer is far more beneficial than an earnest and careful perusal of the latest series in etiquette. Sneaking mountain lions such as are in the nearby zoo are graceful in stalking prey with cat-like tread—but greedy when they fall upon it, or upon meat thrown them by the zoo keeper.

But deer seldom fight among themselves over food nor do they display hog-like habits when a number are eating from the same bowl. The bucks help themselves first and step aside to munch their tit-bits as the does select the food of the choice.

Elegant Approach

WHEN a bowl of porridge, for example, is set out, they do not rush greedily, but with almost an air of bored abstraction, walk towards it, as much as to say:

"Well. You've put it out, so I guess we'd better eat it."

The deer which have partaken of de jeuner at one house will leisurely stroll over to the neighbor's and have a second helping there, and a few hours later, when the children have arrived home from school, the proud old buck with half of one horn torn off, and his following of a younger though subservient buck, three does and one fawn, will be waiting patiently outdoors, knowing that the chubby little fingers of the children will soon surreptitiously smuggle a few pie crusts, bread crusts and some nice warm potatoes to them.

And so the rounds of the sleek grey-brown creatures with the soft timid eyes continues ceaselessly all day, and if fed well, they cleverly contrive to arrive on time every day thereafter.

Somtimes an impatient buck, dissatisfied with the service, will stalk with lordly mien right to the top of the porch steps and even give the door a series of taps with his horns. Last Winter, in fact, Mrs. R. S. Stronach, wife of the superintendent of the park in the employ of the Canadian Government, had such a daily visitor, who would even go to the door on the other side of the house if his knocks at the first door went unanswered. And he was a crusty old fellow, she said, for on one occasion when everyone was away, he became impatient at the delay, and when she walked up the approach towards the house, he reached out and tore a bag of apples from her grasp.

Alert and on his toes for an instant getaway, a mule-eared deer buck in Banff, whose taste for choice edibles has partially overcome his fear for human beings.

As the dinner hour approached with the lengthening of the shadows cast by the peaks clustered about the village, said housewife suddenly remembered no desert had been prepared for the meal. It was cold, twenty below zero and stormy, and the stores were four blocks away. But, unlike old Mother Hubbard's experience, the cupboard was not found to be bare, but to contain a large bag of prunes. In a jiffy, almost, the prunes were stewed and an egg custard made, for the two go rather nicely together, you know. Both were placed on a chair outside to cool. But half an hour later, as the family was gathered around the festive board, the good lady of the house found both pans strangely empty. The faint light cast upon the thin covering of newly fallen snow on the porch revealed tracks of one, two, or possibly three deer.

The story was told with great glee at the dinner table, and as the wind howled around the warm little house, the family ate maple syrup and bread instead, happy in the thought that the marauding deer out there where the dead tree trunks cracked in the frosty air and the loose limbs of the trees creaked in the Wintry blast were well supplied with choice calories for the long cold hours of the night.

A Petty Theft

BUT one cannot condemn the lot for the sins of the few, even though a housewife in Banff recounts the following example of a petty theft committed by a deer or deer unknown.

Canine Interference

THE lives of the "tramp" deer are not all "peaches and cream" or "custard and prunes" for naughty dogs often lead them a merry chase "up hill and down dale." But it often proves to the sorrow of the self-same canines, for Mr. Deer will only stand so much from the barking pups before he swings about and with a few well directed jabs with his horns transforms the barks into yelps. Does, too, are very handy with their sharp little hooves.

And in the uncanny stilless of a moonlight night one often walks along a quiet street lost in thought, when suddenly up from the ground, a few feet ahead, leaps a ghost which crashes through the shimmering mists like the distressed soul of a departed one.

Two or three more ghosts bob up in two or three more spots.

"What's that!" The heart pounds and fear paralyzes all action.

Then a merry laugh rings through the surrounding pine and spruce trunks—for the fearful spectres were only deer, startled from their sleep by the late straggler, as they in turn alarmed him by the suddenness of their escape from what might, to their ever watchful senses, have been grave danger.

Thus spread around throughout the town on the sheltered sides of bluffs or tree clumps, the deer "tramps" spend the nights in watchfulness and await the morning light which will send them "ridin' the grub line" again.

Although the deer never submit to actual petting, they prove far tamer and more venturesome than their big brothers, the elk, which also ride the grub line, much to the sorrow of the local fire department.

Elk and Their Young

MR. and Mrs. Elk and their youngsters, who venture into the village in smaller numbers than the deer, satisfy their craving for food by consuming the hay and stray placed about the fire hose hydrants as protection from frost. Beginning with the hydrants in the outskirts of the town, they work towards the centre and when appetites are satisfied, bask in the haze-diffused light of the street corner arcs.

And sometimes, when well fed, a battle for supremacy of the bunch between an old bull and a cocky young one will be fought in one of the village squares just before dawn.

They do not venture into the heart of the town during the day, but wait until the cloak of darkness falls. And then they seldom nose about in garbage cans for potato peelings or other delicacies as do the deer.

One of the strangest tales told of elk and their method of "ridin' the grub line" is recounted by Ike Mills, veteran dog-musher of the Rockies, who maintains his kennels in the outskirts of Banff.

A few Winters ago he was disturbed from his slumbers by the frantic barking and howling of his huskies fastened outside near his shack.

Quickly donning his parka and slipping mocassins on his feet, he slowly opened the door and peeked through the chink between it and the frame to the moonlit circle about which the kennels of his dogs were placed.

A huge bull elk was leisurely pawing the hay from the inside of Nigger's kennel, as Nigger, the half-wolf, half greyhound lead dog, barked his disapproval from a perch on the roof. The other dogs united with Nigger in protesting against Mr Elk's action of pulling Nigger's bed from the kennel and devouring it. Their turn might come next.

The elk paid no attention to the dogs, and only crashed away throught the underbrush when Ike "wrapped a hunk of coal around the dirty thief's ribs," as he explained next day.

Armed Forces of Russian Soviet Growing

THE Soviet Government's participation in the work of the Preparatory Disarmament Commission of the League of Nations at Geneva has revived interest in the organization, equipment and strength of the Red Army. With the exception of the Russian Church, no Russian institution has survived the revolution with as little change as the military force.

Most of its ablest officers served under the Czar. The essential lines of its organization are the same as those of its predecessor. Its oaths of allegiance are new, and many of its younger officers are proletarians brought in to democratize the service. But the system is based directly on the old Czarist Army and, without underestimating Trotzky's share of the credit for its present efficiency, it can only be understood when it is realized that Trotzky's ablest helpers were senior officers who served under the Czar. The Russian soldier is essentially unchanged. Like the old Czarist Army, the Soviet Army of today is considered a stubborn defensive force and poor in the offensive.

The peace establishment of the Czar's army in 1914 amounted to 1,300,000, all ranks—a number swelled during the annual training period by about 500,000 reservists. The peace strength of the present Soviet Army, including the air arm, is about 1,124,000. Of this number 562,000 are provided by the regular army, including the military-political Ogpu force, a special category resembled in some respects by the Spanish Guardas Civiles and the Italian Carabinieri. The rest are supplied by the first line territorial divisions. In time of war the Soviet would probably have at its disposal about 10,000,000 men between the ages of eighteen and thirty-one, all of whom would have had some degree of military training, but it could not, of course, equip more than a limited proportion of them.

The Ogpu Troops

IN 1926-27 the cost of the army was 634,000,000 rubles ($317,000,000), but this does not include grants for the maintenance of the Ogpu troops. This is a counter-revolutionary arm used for the detection of espionage, the guarding of the frontiers and the protection of the Government in power. The majority of its personnel are Communists, and are trained and equipped with special care. One of its regiments is stationed at Leningrad, two in Moscow, seven in the rest of the country, and its also has 100 sections, each consisting of three infantry platoons and a troop of cavalry, which guard the frontiers, escort prisoners and control doubtful areas.

As in Czarist days, the Soviet Army is recruited by conscription. Preliminary military training begins at the age of sixteen, and 160 hours of drill and physical exercises are required annually of boys between the ages of sixteen and eighteen. This requirement is increased in the higher schools to 180 hours, in which is included a certain amount of theoretical training. Women students are also included.

Beginning this Fall, two months' practical training in camp is also required of boys in the higher schools, but not of women. At the age of eighteen pre-conscription training begins, and between the ages of eighteen and twenty each man undergoes a yearly total of ten weeks' military training under army instructors. At the age of twenty-one he is called up and medically examined. According to the number that he draws at this examination, he is allotted to the regular army, the regular cadre of a territorial division, to the territorial, or is thrown out of the conscription list.

Administration of the Army

INCLUDING the Caucasus, there are ten military areas in the country, each controlled by a commander, with a staff of 800. The training and administration of all military formations, both regular and reserve, are allotted to these commanders. Their areas are subdivided into divisional, regimental and battalion areas, under commissariats charged with the duty of registering men, animals and transport for army use.

The army at present is organized into twenty-one infantry and three cavalry corps. As a general rule each corps has three divisions, and a gas regiment is added to the other corps troops. Infantry divisions number about 18,595, all ranks, on a war footing, and have three regiments apiece, each consisting of three battalions—artillery, engineers and signal formations. There are sixty-nine infantry divisions in all, thirty of which belong to the regular army and the rest to the territorials or reserve. Cavalry divisions number twelve, with one Cossack division in reserve.

The cavalry army of the Soviet Army always has been highly efficient. Its mobility has been increased by the reduction of its impedimenta, and its fire-power, has been enhanced by the addition of ninety-six light machine guns to the ninety-six heavy machine guns that it always has had. Cavalry divisions now have a war strength of 8,500, all ranks. These are organized into six regiments, each 900 strong, with a mechanical force and a cyclist company.

Infantry regiments number 1,863, all ranks. They are composite bodies, consisting of three battalions apiece, with mounted and dismounted scouting companies and a close support brigade of two three-gun batteries of 76 mm. guns. Each regiment has about 150 machine guns, light machine guns and automatic rifles. The great number of automatic weapons used is remarkable. The dependence on machine guns as indicated by the numbers supplied to units is explained partly by the indifferent shooting of the Russian soldier and partly by the nature of the country and the difficult means of communication. Transport, indeed, is one of the Soviet Army's most serious problems.

Under present conditions an infantry division has 3,900 vehicles and 9,000 horses and very little mechanical transport. This number of vehicles and horses greatly exceeds that of any other first-rate army. Steps are being taken to increase the supply of the mechanical transport, and much use is being made of the Fordson tractor, which can be used on the farms in peacetime and in the army in wartime.

The Mobilization Schedule

THE expansion of the army in the event of war would be through the territorial army. The regular army would be the covering force and the cavalry the striking force, the territorials to serve as the nuclei from which new divisions would be formed. In view of the Soviet's system of compulsory military training, the territorials could complete their training with great rapidity.

The air force is an organization apart from the regular army, although it is under the direction of the Commissar of War. Unlike the army as a whole, the air force was permitted to die after the revolution and had to be created over again, its reconstruction beginning about 1921. It is only now beginning to attain a recognizable degree of efficency, the most skilful units being stationed along the country's western front. Many airplanes have been purchased abroad and some have been built at home.

Young personnel is usually chosen for the air force and there is a marked preference for young men whose Communism is sound. These are drawn from secondary schools and undergo special courses in the air normal school. There are now about ninety squadrons of twelve machines each. Of these squadrons, about fifty are reconnaissance squadrons, twenty-five are fighting squadrons and the rest bombing. There are fourteen schools for pilots and observers.

Tanks, armored cars and armored trains are under the direction of the inspector of artillery and armored forces. The personnel of this branch is carefully selected and none but professed Communists are admitted. Each man must have a preliminary training in mechanics. There are a few tanks in the army and none is modern. Plans are being made to equip tanks with anti-gas devices and also, as a measure of defence against enemy tanks, to lay anti-tank mine fields with gas as well as explosive mines.

Gas warfare is regarded as highly important and efforts are always being made to devise new gases and expand the means of production. At present the supply of gas masks is deficient both in quantity and quality.

The Reason

THE boy had been stealing to find money for the "pictures."

"And why did you take the quarter?" asked the magistrate sternly.

"P-p-please, sir," said the boy between sobs, "I wanted to see 'The Ten Commandments'."

Freddy, aged seven, was anxious to find some way of earning money, but all his schemes came to naught, and finally his mother promised. "I'll give you threepence each week if you don't fight with John."

"Threepence!" exclaimed Freddy. "Why, a good fight with John is worth more than threepence!"

During a hold-up in Chicago a young stenographer was hit by a bullet. Thinking he was mortally wounded, he whispered to a friend.

"Give my love to Mamie, and tell her my last thoughts were of her—carbon copies to Sadie, Peggy and Maureen."

Cabot's Voyages to America

JOHN Cabot was a compatriot and contemporary of Christopher Columbus, being born in the city of Genoa in 1450. As a young man he entered the service of a Venetian merchant, for whom he made numerous voyages to the eastern ports of the Mediterranean, and on one occasion he visited Mecca, which was then a great trading centre, being the principal mart in the world for the exchange of the products of the East for those of the West. From the Asiatic merchants Cabot learned of the lengthy journeys made by the caravans which brought the rich products of Northeastern Asia to Mecca, and he then conceived the idea, quite independently of Columbus, that the eastern coast of Asia could be reached by a voyage across the Atlantic Ocean.

In 1484 Cabot settled in England with his family for the purpose of securing the requisite assistance to test his theory, and he succeeded in arousing the active interest of the merchants of Bristol, who provided him with ships and men to make a series of voyages into the western ocean. Year after year he ventured out into the turbulent waters of the Atlantic, but each time he was driven back by dense fogs and high winds without once sighting land to the west.

The news that Columbus had succeeded in reaching the islands of the West Indies spurred Cabot to make one last desperate effort, and on May 2, 1497 he started from Bristol on his epoch-making voyage. After sailing across the Atlantic for fifty-two days his little ship, Mathew, which carried a crew of only eighteen men, sighted the northern extremity of what is now known as Cape Breton Island. Cabot landed in the vicinity of Cape North, which he named Cape Discovery, and there he unfurled the British flag and took possession of the country in the name of Henry VII.

He was thus the first European to set foot on any part of the American mainland, for it was not until the following year that Columbus succeeded in reaching the coast of the continent further to the south. Owing to the mildness of the climate and the fertility of the soil Cabot was convinced that he had landed somewhere on the northeastern shore of Asia, and, before returning home with the news of his achievement, he sailed to the north, where he sighted the coast of Newfoundland and discovered the richness of its cod fisheries.

Cabot made a rapid and uneventful voyage back to England. The English monarch was by no means noted for his generosity, but he was so elated at Cabot's success that he not only rewarded the daring mariner with a gift of ten pounds and an annual pension twice that sum, but he arranged to finance another expedition in the following year.

In May, 1498, Cabot again sailed from the port of Bristol, this time in command of two large ships and a crew of 300 men, having as his principal object the discovery of the eastern coast of Japan, which he thought would be found somewhere to the south of the spot where he had landed in the preceding year. The ships were carried to the north by the Gulf Stream, which gave Cabot an opportunity of exploring part of the east and west coasts of Greenland, but in each instance he was forced to return south by the intense cold and the presence of numerous icebergs.

He crossed Davis Straits and sighted Baffin Land, which he believed to be part of the Asiatic mainland, and then sailed south on his quest for Japan. He sailed along the coasts of Nova Scotia and New England, and was much surprised and disappointed at finding no traces of the anticipated eastern civilization. He proceeded as far south as the shores of Virginia, when, owing to the scarcity of his supplies, he was compelled to sail back to England, where he died soon after his arrival.

Unfortunate

ON amusing story of how a newspaper bill once passed an unintentional criticism on Sir Austen Chamberlain, the Foreign Secretary, is told. Mr. Chamberlain (as he was then) made a speech in an English town on the same evening as a gas explosion had occurred. The newspaper bills next morning read: "Mr. Austen Chamberlain's speech. Remarkable Escape of Gas."

Magnate: "Yes, I began without shoes on my feet and now I've half a million."

Young Reporter: "Great Scott! Who cleans 'em all?"

If you drop knives and forks it means company's coming.

"And if you miss them, it means they're gone."

Motors & Motoring

BODY COSTS CUT AFFECTS CAR'S PRICE

Big Factor in Reduction of Automobile Prices Resulted From Efficient Methods in Manufacture

65,000,000 SQ. FT. OF GLASS USED YEARLY

Many Allied Trades Involved in Contruction of Most Expensive Unit of Modern Transportation

Unquestionably one of the big factors in reducing the cost of the modern automobile has been the highly efficient methods adopted in the enormous motor car body industry, which in the last several years has reached a stage of remarkable development.

As the body of an automobile is probably the most expensive individual unit, one can readily see that a substantial reduction of body costs would automatically lessen the selling price of each automobile.

Today, with the millions of bodies produced in a single year by means of standardization and economical mass production methods, the body industry has contributed in no small degree to the greatly reduced prices of the modern automobile.

SOME STAGGERING FIGURES

Possibly the quickest way to illustrate the huge size of the historic body business would be the publication of a few figures. Would it surprise you to know that in the automobile business alone nearly 65,000,000 square feet of plate glass are used annually? This is over fifty per cent of the total plate glass production of the United States.

When one thinks of leather one naturally believes the shoe industry to be the largest consumer of this material. Yet this is not so. In oody upholstery nearly 40,000,000 square feet of leather are used per year which is sixty-three per cent of the entire leather production of the country. Nearly 850,000,000 board feet of hardwood lumber and 250,000,000 feet of soft wood are utilized in one year's production of automobile bodies.

Next might come the item of upholstery cloth, the annual yardage of which is in the vicinity of 40,000,000.

Hair and padding form another huge item, for of these two commodities 8,500,000,000 pounds are consumed. And so we could go on taking you from item to item, each one of which would be more staggering and incomprehensible than its predecessor.

The study of the lore of body building is an exceedingly interesting one inasmuch as it is a study of continual progress. And such a study will reveal that even in our most modern and up to date equipages we have not altogether broken with the past. Automobile nomenclature is a constant reminder of the roots from which this business sprung.

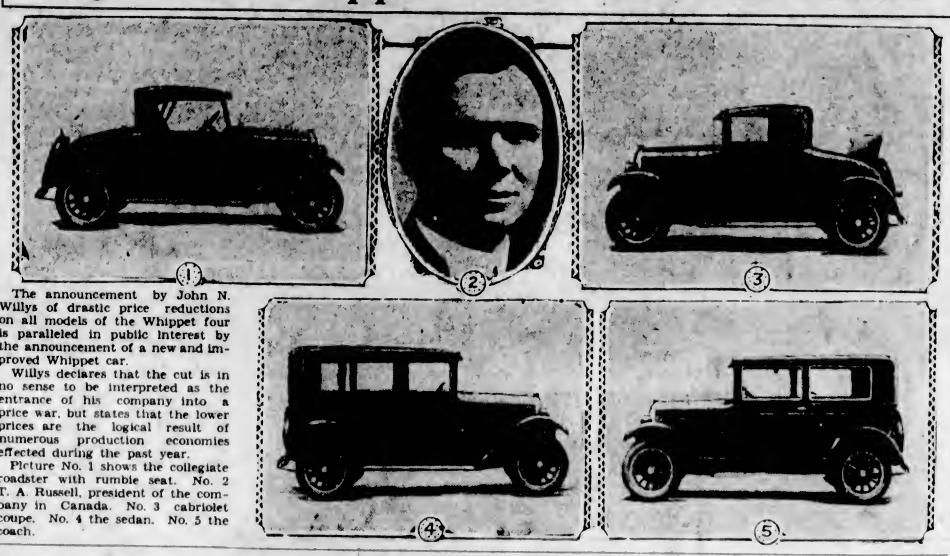
HISTORIC NAMES PERSIST

The names of our most exclusive models, Sedan, Brougham, Landaulet, Victoria, Phaeton, are all handed down from the carriage building days.

Ernest Weekly tells us that the traffic problem is not new. In 1631 the authorities of Blackfriars explained to the Privy Council that "persons of honor and quality in the parish are detained by the number of coaches from going or coming home in a seasonable time to the prejudice of their occasions." In 1636, Henry Peacham, the author of "The Compleat Gentleman," published a small book with the title, "Coach and Sedan, pleasantly disputing for place and precedence; the Brewer's cart being moderator."

It was probably in 1634 that the use of the Sedan became common in London. In that year Sir Sanders Duncombe was granted a fourteen years' monopoly for "covered chairs called sedans." Peter Mundy, the traveler, speaks (1637) of "sedans at London." That the unfamiliar work took some years to become general appears from a quotation of 1640: "Then the Dutch younker took her up into a (what doe you call it?) a sedan, and away they went." (Glapthorne, The Hollander, v, 1).

Improved Whippet Cars and Their Maker



The announcement by John N. Willys of drastic price reductions on all models of the Whippet four is paralleled in public interest by the announcement of a new and improved Whippet car.

Willys declares that the cut is in no sense to be interpreted as the entrance of his company into a price war, but states that the lower prices are the logical result of numerous production economies effected during the past year.

Picture No. 1 shows the collegiate roadster with rumble seat. No. 2 T. A. Russell, president of the company in Canada. No. 3 cabriolet coupe. No. 4 the sedan. No. 5 the coach.

Headlights for Lightheads

"You seem to have had a serious accident."

"Yes," said the bandaged person. "I tried to climb a tree in my motor car."

"What did you do that for?"

"Just to oblige a lady who was driving another car. She wanted to use the road."

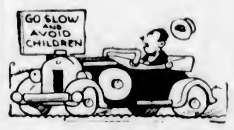
ASKED FOR PROOF

Signor Garlicko caused much merriment when apoligizing for the non-appearance of Madame Ella Vator by saying, "She ees a leetle horse thees evening."

Noticing a ripple of laughter among the audience he nervously repeated the statement that "Madame Ella Vador she ees a lettle horse—a lettle horse; she have a colt!"

Whereupon a witty "gallery god" chimed in, saying: "Well, trot her out!"

"Who is a Road Hog?" asks a Daily Express headline. That's an easy one. He is some other motorist.



United States Patent 1,599,066, published September 7, 1926, was granted to one Samuel W. Rushmore, Plainfield, N.J., for a flexible traffic post bearing this sign:

GO SLOW
AND AVOID
CHILDREN

HOW IT WAS

Dr. Patek (attending Mrs. Maloney's husband): "What's the matter with your husband today? He looks awful, much worse than he did yesterday."

Mrs. Maloney: "It's your fault. Yez told me to give him anything that he craved for, didn't yez?"

Dr. Patek: "Yes."

Mrs. Maloney: "Well, he craved for a fight, and, believe me, he got it!"

The wife who brags how handy her husband is around the car never sees the bill from the repair shop.

ONLY CONTRIBUTING CAUSE

"Nasty business 'bout pore ol' Joe dyin' o' lumbago like that, ain't it?"

"Wot, Joe—lumbago? I knew 'e never—e 'ad lumbago, but he didn't die of it."

"Well, wot—"

"They rubbed 'is back with alco'ol, see."

"An' it poisoned 'im, eh?"

"Poison nothing! 'E tried to lick it orf, see—broke 'is neck."

SAFETY NUTT SAYS

Every year is "leap year" for the pedestrian.

CHEVROLET BODY GREATLY ADMIRED

Fisher Product as Seen in New Car Shows the Perfection of Standardization

The introduction of the new Chevrolet brings particular attention to the body development of the car which is receiving many compliments. Back in 1908 there was formed in Detroit, with a capitalization of $50,000, the Fisher Body Corporation. Starting in a small way, Fisher, in a comparatively short time, achieved a reputation for painstaking care and quality-first manufacturing policies and soon the leading motor car manufacturers of America were placing their orders in large quantities with the Fisher Body Corporation.

It was because of this reputation that several General Motors units were first attracted to Fisher, with the result that Fisher finally became a division of General Motors. When the Fisher Body Corporation entered the General Motors organization, however, its original capitalization of $50,000 had grown to more than $60,000,000.

The corporation and its subsidiaries now occupy forty-six buildings with a floor area in excess of 15,000,000 square feet, approximately 249 acres of floor space. Its properties include a great factory for the manufacturing of the finest kind of body fittings and accessories; another plant for the production of mechanical body hardware; a mammoth factory where the highest grade of plate glass is manufactured, large timber forests and sawmills.

"FISHER BODIES"

Incidentally, Fisher is the largest manufacturer of automobile body hardware in the world. It is likewise one of the largest plate glass manufacturers. The number of Fisher employees is in the neighborhood of 50,00 persons, representing more than 125 trades. More than 125 engineers are continuously engaged in the work of designing and developing new bodies.

Since 1908, more than 5,000,000 Fisher bodies have been produced. In 1926, in forty representative counties from coast to coast and border to border, the Fisher Body Corporation built and sold 31,000 more bodies than the total number of automobiles sold in that territory by any automobile manufacturer during the same year, and Fisher volume continued to grow throughout 1927.

Bad Practice

Don't persist in using the starter for five or ten minutes if the engine fails to start after a few trials. Look for the source of trouble. Continuous cranking runs down the battery very quickly.

Clutch Abuse

"Riding the clutch" is one of the worst forms of automobile operation, and drivers should keep their feet off the clutch pedal until ready to shift gears or stop the car. The pressure of the clutch springs is lessened when the foot rests on the pedal. The cluch is caused to slip and finally loses its grip altogether.

STORAGE BATTERIES

A storage battery deteriorates rapidly if the water in the cells is permitted to go below the top of the plates.

NEW CRANKSHAFT SMOOTHS ENGINE

Improvement in Packard Car Power Unit Results in Steadier Operation

Much of the smoothness of the improved Packard cars is asserted by Thomas Plimley, Ltd., to be due to a crankshaft new in type as applied to a motor car engine. The new Packard crankshafts are much like those used in airplane motors. The crank pins are drilled out and make the shaft considerably lighter than the . al shaft without sacrificing anything in strength. Three-quarters of a pound were eliminated from each crankshaft throw by drilling the pins. A sleeve is set into the opening of the pin to provide against the whole space being filled with oil and thus nullifying the saving in weight. There has been a considerable change in the counterbalancing, and the vibration damper has been moved to the outside of the motor. The accompanying picture shows clearly how closely the new Packard shaft resembles the shaft of an airplane motor.

OILING OF CLUTCH SOLVED IN AUBURN

Engineers Succeed in Problem of Proper Lubrication of Hidden Parts

Wherever metal operates against metal there must be adequate lubrication to prevent friction and undue wear.

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Expert Reviews 1928 Improvements in Cars

New Models Show Added Power, Light Control, Improvement in Finish and Distinctively Pleasing Lines, With Gravity Centre Lowered

By H. CLIFFORD BROKAW

The automotive industry enters another year with the prediction that automobiles in 1928 will be better vehicles and more numerous. The motoring public will be busily engaged during the coming weeks in inspecting the latest models of the various manufacturers. What will these people find if special interest?

In the first place, they will find a mechanical instrument which can be depended upon to give general satisfaction. They will find that most of the 1928 models in the different priced classes are equipped with balloon tires, this sort of shoe having demonstrated now over a period of years its superiority to the former small-diameter makes. They will find four-wheel brakes another practical feature which has demonstrated its usefulness, or where there are not four-wheel brakes, much more efficiency in the two-wheel brake systems.

They will find a considerable improvement in the finishes on the automobile, which are now mostly of lacquer materials. They will find oil filters, fuel filters and air cleaners. They will find a greater power in the engine, with a reduction at the same time of weight. This means a greater number of six-cylinder cars and eight-cylinder machines.

LIGHT CONTROL INTRODUCED

They will find automatic windshield cleaners and tilting adjustable one-piece windshields, also a better vision ahead when driving, due to the thin corner pillars in the front part of the car. Two filament head lamps are more economically used, and light controls on the steering wheel or column make it more easily possible for those who drive in the evening to adjust their headlights so as to make driving more comfortable for those going in the opposite direction. The illuminated instrument boards are now mostly lighted by the indirect method.

Transmission blocks are the order of the day. Radiator cap ornaments tend toward beauty and simplicity of design. The temperature of the water in the radiator is under thermostatic control. A theft-protection numbering system is coming into more common use. There are gauges on the flashboard which indicate the amount of gasoline in the gasoline tanks. There are dashboard engine thermometers and in many cases windshield wings for open cars. There are rubber engine supports and shock insulators.

Having gone to such extremes in the perfection of the mechanical aspects in the modern motor vehicle, it is only logical that special attention should be given to beautifying the car. It should not be concluded that there is slacking of effort to imrove the mechanical aspects, for some of the best engineers and scientists who can be secured are at work on instruments tending to increase efficiency. However, beauty of line, harmony of color and richness of interior are among the outstanding improvements of the 1928 models.

Of course, it is well known that most of the cars now have closed bodies. They also have lower bodies and lower centres of gravity. A lower effect is sometimes obtained by decreasing the size of the wheels, thereby bringing the whole car closer to the ground. This effect is also achieved by actually lowering the body by employing what used to be space under the back seat for the rear axle housing and universal joint. The result is a sweeping line effect which is pleasing to the eye without decreasing the road clearance.

ARTISTIC COLORINGS

Harmony of color is another feature that adds to the beauty of the 1928 models, some manufacturers using over thirty distinct shades as standard and optional body colors, whereby remarkable harmonizing effects are secured which give a distinct individuality to an automobile.

The body's interior trim and luxury as well as utility apointments give an atmosphere of comfort which is extremely satisfying. Much care is taken in selecting the proper color combination both as to the finish and as to the upholstery, which is designed to blend into a harmonious whole. Mohair, broadcloths, rich figured plush and various colored leathers are used as upholstery. The materials and color vary according to the type of the car's body, but the tendency is to mild liveliness.

Those who go in for the ultra-modern find instrument boards finished in exclusive woods, also bronze-finished hardware, electric clock and heater, reading lights, vanity cases, smoking stands, toggle grips and silk shades.

While there appear to be no startling changes in the 1928 models, and probably nothing of the kind will be announced in the early months of this year, there is evidence of a steady progress in the refinements of many important parts of the automobile. There is a definite tendency to provide automobiles which have a quicker getaway, which have plenty of power, which have low centre of gravity and which have more effective headlights. Perhaps the last mentioned is the item on which the greatest progress can be prayed for.

The motoring public can be assured that automobiles in 1928 are, on the whole, the best group of machines that have ever been manufactured.

DODGE FOURS HAVE 4-WHEEL BRAKES

Major Improvement Seen on "128" Line Exhibited at Recent New York Show

Among the cars exhibited by Dodge Brothers, Inc., at the New York Automobile Show are those of the "128" line which are now equipped with four-wheel steel-draulic (mechanical) brakes. This improvement was made just before the first of the year and was accompanied with no extra cost to the purchaser. The supplying of these brakes to the four-cylinder passenger cars constitntes a major improvement.

A unique feature of this system is the connection between that part of the mechanism supported on the frame and that on the axle, which is through a special flexible connection, eliminating the complicated universal joints and shafts usually associated with mechanical four-wheel brakes. This connection consists of a steel cable passing through the centre of short steel guides or vertebrae, the ends of which are rounded and cupped so that as they fit together they form a series of ball-and-socket joints, permitting a considerable amount of bending.

CONSTRUCTION OF GUIDES

These guides are supported in a coil spring casing around which is placed a heavy cover of rubber fabric. This construction possesses sufficient rigidity to transmit tension in the cable without changing form. The shape of the joints in the conduit is such that the length along the centre line does not change when the conduit is bent, therefore the brake action is not affected by the turning of the wheels, spring action or body roll.

Another unique construction is the brake shoe which floats on the brake support, not being fastened to the anchor pin and therefore is not affected by the eccentricity of the brake drum. The brake shoe itself is of pressed steel, the rear half being rigid and the front flexible, giving a full wrapping action on this half when the brake is applied. The shoe is expanded by a toggle, moved by pull from the cable through the flexible connection, and returned to the released position by a cross spring in the brake shoe. The shoe is held in position by the anti-rattler spring which holds it against the anchor pin and the brake shoe stop.

SIMPLE LINKAGE

The brake linkage is very simple, consisting of a tubular shaft in the frame with double levers on each end, which connect through pull rods to the flexible connections to each wheel, and connections on the cross shaft to the brake pedal and hand lever, the same linkage and shoes serving both the foot and hand brakes. The connection to the brake pedal is by double rods giving a push-pull action, which eliminates side thrust from the cross shaft. The connection to the brake hand lever is a steel cable, which is in tension only when the hand brake is applied, slackening when the the foot brake is used. Anti-rattlers on the rods, springs on the cross shaft and hand lever keep the linkage in tension at all times to prevent rattles.

The brake drums are of the same flanged design used in the Dodge Senior Sixes, protecting the mechanism from dust and mud. An inspection hole in the brake drum between the spokes of the wheels allows brake adjustments to be made without removing the wheels.

Efficient Trouble Lamp Is Required

A practical trouble lamp is an accessory that should have its place in every car. But the trouble with many lamps is that their portability opens the way for them to be mislaid, left at home, or become broken in the tool box. The majority of troubles on the road concern the engine, anf if a car owner provides for proper illumination of the engine, he will never regret it. On most cars, this can be accomplished readily by using three electric lights permanently attached to the front of the dash, under the hood. Place one light on a level of about two inches above the top of the motor, the other two for the illumination of the two sides of the engine. Connect the lamps in parallel, and use a snap switch of the simple single pole type to turn the lights on and off. This arrangement will provide all the illumination necessary if ordinary headlight bulbs are used.

MUFFLER CAUSES BACK PRESSURES

Test Car's Action on Hill in Case Lack of "Pep" Becomes Noticeable

When a car owner complains that his engine has not the "pep" that it formerly had, and has gone over the motor fully, made all kinds of adjustments which might bring about the desired effect without success in locating the fault, try the following test: Take the car out on to a steep hill and note carefully its climbing ability. Then open the cut-out, if a suitable one is provided, or remove the muffler altogether and climb the same hill. If the climbing ability of the car has been increased noticeably, it is very certain that the trouble has been due to clogging up or loosening of the plates in the muffler, whereby jamming of the gases is taking place and free flow of the exhaust from the cylinders is being retarded. Such a condition may be productive of a tendency for the engine to overheat, although the majority of engines are so overcooled that this tendency will not be noticed, while the loss of "pep" will be quickly detected.

The remedy, of course, is to clean the muffler thoroughly. This means a complete taking apart and scraping, after boiling in a hot, saturated soda solution; that is, if carbon has choked the passages and caused the trouble. If, however, it is due to loose baffles which collapse against each other, obstructing the free flow of gases, the best remedy is to instal a new muffler.

Freeing Lug Nuts

Those car owners who are fortunate enough to go for long periods without a puncture are lulled into a false sense of security. Garage workers continually are called upon to free lug nuts that have been frozen during the motorist's era of good fortune. Even if it is not to be assumed that one will need to change a tire, it pays to go over the lug nuts with an oil can. They will turn when the need arises.

TIRE PRESSURE

Tire pressure increases at the end of a long, hard drive.

LATEST WHIPPETS SHOW REFINEMENT

Added Equipment and Wider Range of Colors Included in New Body Types

Details of the improved Whippet which were made public recently reveal new body types, added equipment and a wider range of colors. The added equipment will include an automatic windshield wiper, rear vision mirror and a combination rear driving light and stop light, which will make this car the most fully equipped light car now built.

Production calls for 20,000 cars from Willys-Overland for January, with a steady build up to 40,000 cars for March and the factory is now in a position to build 2,000 chassis a day at peak capacity.

Shipments on the Whippet have been under way for several days and cars are now available for delivery.

Employment at all the Willys-Overland factories is steadily on the increase as the various manufacturing departments are put on to the production schedules called for by the plans of the company for this year.

Commenting on the new prices, Mr. Willys says, "Manufacturing economics which have been worked out in the Willys-Overland plant have put the company in a position to meet any price move which may be made by any manufacturer. There can be no monopoly in the light-car field. Our costs for materials, productive labor and our manufacturing overhead expenses are as low as those of any manufacturer in the country. The quality of the Whippet will be maintained in every detail of material, design and workmanship, and it will be even better equipped and better looking than in the past."

Device Holds Stud To Recut Thread

When a stud must be rethreaded, the most difficult part of the operation is to hold the stud properly. If it is held in an ordinary bench vise, the grip is not tight enough, and as the rethreading is performed the thread generally turns and mars the result. A handy method of holding a stud for such work is to select a nut with the same thread as that in the stud. Saw this nut in half, the edges being camfered with a file where the cut has been made. Then place these two halves of the nut on the threaded part of the stud and place i nthe vise. The tightening of the vise will hold the stud firmly and the work can be easily done, without damage or lost of time.

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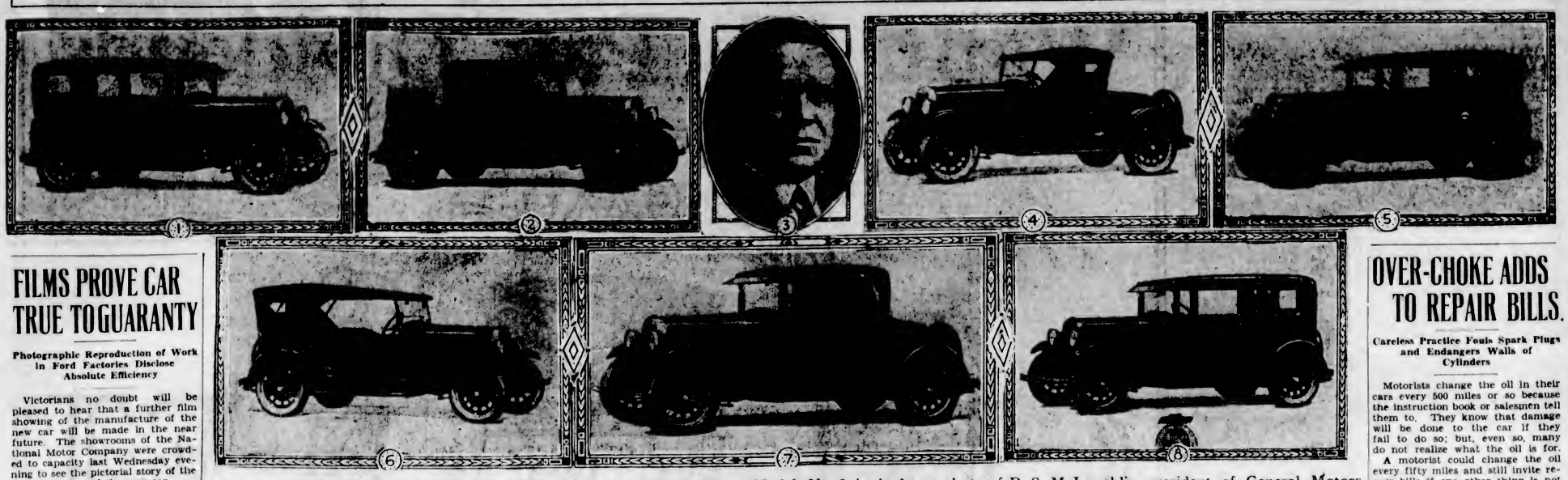

Here are the new Chevrolets: No. 1 is the Sedan; No. 2, the Cabriolet Sport Model; No. 3 is the latest photo of R. S. McLaughlin, president of General Motors, Oshawa; No. 4, is the Roadster, and No. 5 is the Imperial Landau. The Touring is shown at No. 6, the Coupe at No. 7, and the new Coach at No. 8.

FILMS PROVE CAR TRUE TO GUARANTY

Photographic Reproduction of Work in Ford Factories Disclose Absolute Efficiency

Victorians no doubt will be pleased to hear that a further film showing of the manufacture of the new car will be made in the near future. The showrooms of the National Motor Company were crowded to capacity last Wednesday evening to see the pictorial story of the manufacturing of the new car.

Mr. Ford's statement as to the quality, durability, extraordinary performance, advanced and simplified design of the new car was thoroughly borne out in the pictures. Evidence was given of the quality of forgings used throughout, of all-steel bodies, of one-piece steel spoked wheels and of the accuracy shown in the workmanship, which is most intense in the machining and assembly operations.

The new car develops forty horsepower at the extraordinary low r.p.m. of 2,200, which gives the motorist a wealth of reserve power and the balance of the reciprocating parts combined with the advance design of the motor give it a performance in pick-up that cannot be equalled.

OTHER IMPROVEMENTS

Mr. Ford has retained the principle of his patented front end, thereby giving a rigid front axle which takes up any distortion of the chassis or body when hitting rough roads and allows for permanent operation of the front wheel brakes even should the springs be out of commission.

The construction of the rear axle is of the three-quarter floating type and factory officials claim that it should outlive the life of the car. The simplicity of design all through is very noticeable. All four wheel brakes can be taken off and replaced within ten minutes, the carburetor can be taken off and another one put on in three minutes. The oil pipe is so built that it is available from the outside of the motor, the transmission is an exact duplicate of the Lincoln, and instead of using the conventional bushings which are a standard of construction on all light cars, all wearing parts have been fitted with roller bearings which allow an ease of operation from one shift to another at any speed, either going up or down hill.

The chassis and motor is rubber-mounted and fenders and body are insulated with non-squeaking material. The lubrication of the chassis is Alemite-zerk, requiring only a pressure gun.

Truly is it shown by the picture that the quality of design as visible to the eye has been built into the car throughout and that it is, in comfort of riding, outstanding, and in performance and economy of operation far ahead of present day standards.

The National Motor Company announces that the orders are rapidly reaching close to the 200 mark and that deliveries, are expected shortly. Another carload arrived in Vancouver two days ago and was distributed to local dealers.

Handling Starter

Do not press the button which connects the starting motor in a half-hearted manner; press it all the way down. Insufficient pressure not only damages the contacts of the starting switch, by causing arcing, but sometimes injures the starting motor by causing the drive to jam.

SQUEAKING HOOD

A squeaking hood may often be traced to hood lacing that has become glazed. A few drops of oil will remedy this.

Motor Notes

Thos. Plimley, Ltd., report the sale of three Packard cars last week.

The Auto Electric & Battery Co., Ltd., 847 Yates Street, are making extensive alterations to their premises to give more accommodation for cars while undergoing repairs.

Out of forty-three lines of cars shown at the New York Automobile Show there were twenty-one that were entirely new.

Hugh Chisholm, of the Dominion Garage, will still continue on in his present location at 615 Courtney Street.

Mr. C. W. Lovell left last week for Toronto, where he will attend a convention of Star dealers who are gathering from all parts of Canada.

A simple way to clean a tire is to jack up the wheel and place a pan of water or gasoline beneath the wheel. Then turn the wheel slowly, scrubbing the tire with a suitable brush while the wheel is revolving.

Tergeson Bros.' new super-station at the corner of Blanshard and Fort Streets will be completed within a few days. This new station will be fully equipped for quick service and will be one of the finest on Vancouver Island.

FRENCH FLYER TALKS POETRY

MAN WHO WON PLACE IN THE LEGION OF HONOR NOW A QUIET PROFESSOR

Contemporary French Poetry His Subject at Imperial University, Tokio

(From Transpacific, Tokio)

There is a great deal of difference between fighting in a war and teaching French literature, but Mr. Georges Bonneau has both to his credit. Furthermore, judging from the outward expressions of glory, he has done both very well. He is at present Professor of French at the Imperial University in Fukuoka, and is spending a few days in Tokio while he delivers a special series of lectures at the Imperial University here.

Mr. Bonneau was twenty years old when the war broke out, and at once enlisted in the air service. Along with many other men of about the same age he fought until he was badly wounded, once in the head and again in the body. At the present time he carries a deep gash on the left side of his chin and in his lapel he wears the small button of a second class officer of the Legion of Honor.

He was asked to tell some of his experiences during the war, but said:

"THE WAR IS OVER"

"That is all over. I am not fighting now but am attempting to teach a little French literature. Perhaps after we have talked about this for a while I will say something about the war."

Contemporary French poetry is the particular field in which Mr. Bonneau is interested. Discussing some of its characteristics, he declared:

"The French poetry of the present time may be said to be divided into two distinct schools. In the first place there are the lyrical writers and then there are also the symbolists. I am interested more or less in this second group.

"I think it is true that poetry on the whole is a great deal nearer to nature than it was before. That is to say, people seem to appreciate nature in their poetry to a larger extent than formerly. They are now not possessed of that haughty pride which made them dislike anything which has to do with something so common as nature. There are still a large number of romanticists to be found, but as I said before, I feel that they are a great deal more enjoyable because they are not so artificial.

EXPLAINS SYMBOLISM

Mr. Bonneau went on to explain in more detail what he considered to be the true purpose of the symbolic school of poetry, especially that in France.

"The idea is to take the whole piece of poetry and look at it in all its aspects," he said. "We must try to see the work of a poet as a living thing, in all its component parts and not just as a few lines written on a piece of paper.

"There are three great points of view from which poetry can be regarded. These are the historical, the philosophical and the artistic. It is usually the case that a man will criticize a work from only one or two of these. This is not only unfair to the poet but it detracts from a great deal of the pleasure which is waiting for the reader if he will only take a broader view. In many lectures here in Tokio I have been trying to set this idea before my audiences, for I believe it is of the greatest importance if they are to enjoy the present poetry in France."

Mr. Bonneau is the author of two books of poetry. The first is entitled "L'Offrande a l'Infidele" and the second "Trois Chansons pour Renee Vivien." The former is a collection of about sixty short poems, while the latter is made up of three longer selections written, as the title explains, in memory of Renee Vivien, who was one of the better known poetesses in France. She used to write on Grecian subjects, and the three poems in Mr. Bonneau's book are in a similar vein.

WON AUTO AS PRIZE

The author had the distinction of being the youngest man to receive his Doctor of Literature degree from the University of Paris when he graduated. For this distinction he was presented with a Peugeit automobile.

He declares that among the outstanding poets at the present time in France are Emile Ripert, Charles le Goffe, Anatole le Braz and Louis le Caronnel. He added that all of these are not strictly symbolists but that they are all very well known.

Mr. Bonneau finally returned to the subject of aviation, and told an anecdote about the famous Rene Fonck. Although he did not actually fight with him in the same squadron, Mr. Bonneau said that he knew him very well.

He recalled with a great deal of distress the accident which befell Fonck as he was taking off on a transatlantic flight from New York a year ago. It will be remembered that Fonck's machine was not able to gain sufficient headway on the runway and when it came to the end it struck a ditch and turned over. The plans was burned and two men killed, although Fonck came out of it with only minor bruises.

"The whole thing was so useless," said Mr. Bonneau. "There was a lot to be learned about such long flights, and they should have taken more time to get ready. The trouble was the load was too heavy for the length of the runway.

"Fonck knew that he was not absolutely prepared for the hop, but he received a cable from some of the government officials in France that he should start at once. They urged him to do so for the glory of France. I might say that this was entirely unofficial and was only the result of too much enthusiasm on the part of some employee. However, Fonck felt that he should follow the advice of the cable and so decided to start at once.

"The rest of the story is known to everyone. I do not say that he would have succeeded had he waited a few days, but he would certainly have had a chance to do some more much-needed testing."

Chrysler Advance Seen in Allotting Of Show Space

When allotment of space for the New York Automobile Show was made, Chrysler was given third choice. When the same allotment was made four years ago, Chrysler was given twenty-seventh choice. That, in a nutshell, cites the advances made by this motor car manufacturing concern. Each year the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce allots space at the world's largest exhibit of motor cars on a basis of dollar volume of business done in the year ending July 1. In these twelve months, according to the official statement, Chrysler sold 193,750 motor cars—a volume of $275,000,000 paid by the public for Chrysler cars. "Even this remarkable pace is exceeded by the sales record of the second half of 1927," says Mr. H. E. Bayley, of Thos. Plimley, Ltd., local Chrysler dealers.

THROUGH MUD

Drive slowly through the mud. Oftentimes the impact of heavy splashing will mar the painted surface of the car.

A friend says the days are so short that the ink doesn't have time to dry on a thirty-day note before it falls due.

SPORTING OFFER IN SPEED TESTS MADE

Americans Suggest British Title Holder Follow Challengers' Run at Daytona Beach

LONDON, Jan. 14.—What is regarded as a very chivalrous suggestion in connection with the coming Anglo-American speed duel at Daytona Beach has been cabled by the American authorities to Captain Malcolm Campbell, the British competitor.

The suggestion is that Captain Campbell shall make his effort after the two American drivers have completed their runs. Captain Campbell will thus have the advantage of knowing exactly what he must do to retain the record for Britain. The tests will begin on February 15, and today's cabled offer suggested that Captain Campbell make his attempt on Washington's birthday, February 22.

Captain Campbell's car is nominally rated at 450 horsepower, but it can develop twice that power. The engine is a replica of that which helped Britain to win the Schneider Cup, and still is on the Air Ministry's secret list.

It is stated that, although it is already fitted to the chassis of his car, Captain Campbell does not know its exact design. He received permission to use it on the understanding that none of the secrets of its construction should be revealed.

If it is still on the secret list when Captain Campbell goes to America, one of the mechanics who assembled it will accompany the car, and, it is added, he alone will have access to the interior of the engine.

Remove Dents

One of the best ways to remove dents on a polished metal fender or body is to cover the head of an ordinery hammer with a rubber crutch tip. The work can be accomplished without any danger of marring the finish.

OVER-CHOKE ADDS TO REPAIR BILLS.

Careless Practice Fouls Spark Plugs and Endangers Walls of Cylinders

Motorists change the oil in their cars every 500 miles or so because the instruction book or salesmen tell them to. They know that damage will be done to the car if they fail to do so; but, even so, many do not realize what the oil is for.

A motorist could change the oil every fifty miles and still invite repair bills if one other thing is not avoided, and that is "over-choking" the engine in cold weather. All the good the oil does can be overcome by running constantly with the "choke" out, a practice in which many motorists indulge.

Here is what happens when the "choke" is left out for a considerable period. More gasoline than can be vaporized floods the carburetor and flows into the cylinder. In the first place, it fouls the spark plugs. Secondly, it flows down the cylinder walls into the crankcase. In its journey down the cylinder walls, it washes away the oil film of protection that is supplied by the oil in the crankcase. Thus the piston comes into direct contact with the cylinder wall and burning friction results.

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Dodge Motor Co's "Victory Six" Models

Here are shown the three models of the "Victory Six" series announced by the Dodge Motor Company. The new cars, the wheel base of which is 112 inches as compared with the 116 inches of the "Senior Six" series, which it resembles, are said to have an average speed of seventy miles an hour or more. Picture No. 1 shows a front view of the coupe. No. 2, Mr. E. P. Clarkson, managing director of Dodge Bros. of Canada, Ltd. No. 3, the coupe. No. 4, the sedan, and No. 5, the brougham of new series.

DUST ON ENGINE

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Sedan	760	160
Landau	800	160
Cabriolet Coupe (With Rumble Seat)	705	245

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	New Low Prices	Reduction
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Landau	1000	150

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The Garden Week by Week

By NORMAN W. F. RANT, F.R.H.S.

After studying the seed catalogues one's mind is in a somewhat bewildered state, for so many good things are offered that it is difficult to make a selection for Spring planting. Experience teaches that it is well to consider the new introductions, and this is particularly true in the case of annuals. Most of the varieties which have come along during the last few seasons have shown marked improvement in color, form and size, which places them in advance of the older kinds. It would be an easy matter to fill several columns with descriptions of annuals, but here are a few, mostly of recent introduction, which the writer considers of exceptional merit.

A very distinct form of aster is the giant anemone-flowered. The flowers are beautifully formed with long, quilled central florets encircled by an outer ring of curled petals. These asters, which may be had in pink, mauve and white, have a very vigorous habit of growth and are excellent for cutting.

NEW CLARKIAS

Many gardeners do not realize the beauty of the newer Clarkias, particularly those belonging to the elegans class. One of the finest of these is Sutton's Salmon Scarlet which has most brilliantly colored blossoms. The flowers, which are not quite double, resemble small roses and are carried on long sprays.

All lovers of the old-fashioned cosmos should try some of the double kinds. It is true that the seed does not produce all doubles, but one will get a good many with charming double flowers. It is very important to get the early-flowering varieties as otherwise the flowering season is too late as a rule to be of much use.

Few plants give such a fine range of colors as the annual Larkspur. Specially worthy of mention are the forms which give varying shades from rosy scarlet to a most delicate shell pink. All of these make very handsome garden subjects, and the fine spikes of bloom are useful for house decoration. Other kinds of annual larkspur have flowers of many shades of blue, mauve and white.

A dwarf annual which is not much grown in gardens here, but which deserves to be better known, is Leptosiphon, which only grows about three inches tall, and is therefore an excellent subject for edging. It comes in many colors and the new hybrids are a great improvement over the older varieties.

Any gardener who has grown Nemesia is never happy without a selection of this beautiful little plant. Some of the newer hybrids are among the choicest of the half-hardy annuals and, grown in the same way as asters, they give a wonderful show in the garden. The varieties Aurora and Blue Gem are among the best.

Those who want something really showy in their annual border should grow some of the newer Salpiglossis. People who know only the varieties of some years ago will be astonished at the improvements which have taken place in this plant. Particularly telling are the kinds that show a gold veining on a base of blue or crimson.

GETTING THE BEST

The sweet-scented stocks are always welcome in the Summer garden, but it pays to get the best. One is astonished at the great strides that have been made of late years in brightening the shades of this popular flower. Before the war Germany produced a very large proportion of the stocks in commerce, but since that time the French growers have produced a great many fine varieties.

A very easy annual to grow, and which in its latest forms is very attractive, is Viscaria. The plant is free-flowering and if sown rather thickly makes exceedingly brilliant clumps in the border. The colors run through shades of pink, blue and white, and are very gay.

CAREFUL TREATMENT

In the growing of annuals, one should show respect. It must not be thought that because the seed of annuals is cheap that they should be treated anyhow. If the annual is given the same treatment as one is in the habit of giving perennials, the result will be astonishing. It has been said that if annual seed were much more expensive than it is the result would be much better gardens.

Annuals sown outside should be thinned out well so that each plant has plenty of room to develop to its full size. The ground should be well prepared and weeds should be kept down.

When one wants a garden quickly, there is no class of plants that can take the place of the annuals.

"Ask Me Another"

By JUSTIN SPAFFORD and LUCIEN ESTY

GENERAL QUIZ

1. What are the "three R's?"
2. What gift did Jacob make to Joseph, his son, which aroused the envy of Joseph's brothers?
3. What is the reputed value of the trinkets, etc., which the Dutch settlers give the Indians in exchange for Manhattan Island?
4. Name the most famous transcontinental motor road in the United States.
5. What country was once inhabited by the Aztecs?
6. Who commanded the military forces of Great Britain at the Battle of Waterloo?
7. Who was Howard Ryle?
8. What is the next numerical division after "trillion?"
9. Whose thesaurus is well known to most writers and cross-word puzzle addicts?
10. Who wrote "The Three Musketeers?"
11. Who was Thomas Hood?
12. Why does the inauguration of an American President take place almost four months after his election?
13. What is the capital of (a) Greece, (b) Belgium?
14. In what year was the last financial panic in Wall Street?
15. What was the physical cause of Socrates' death?
16. Who received the Socialist nomination for the Presidency of the United States five times?
17. Give the next line after: "Come on, come all; this rock shall fly."
18. What island in the North Sea was bought from England by Germany prior to the World War and turned into an immense fortification and naval base?
19. In what novel by Sir Walter Scott does Robin Hood appear?
20. Give to the nearest inch the length in inches of a meter.
21. Who was Alfred Charles Harmsworth, Baron Northcliffe?
22. Where did the Statue of Liberty come from?
23. Who assumed the leadership of the Mormon Church after the death of Joseph Smith in 1844
24. What bird in mediaeval times was trained by man to hunt other birds and the smaller animals?
25. Who was C. A. Arthur.

ANSWERS TO GENERAL QUIZ

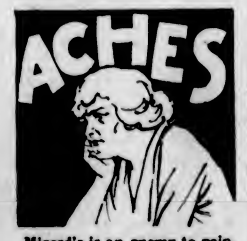
1. Reading, writing and arithmetic.
2. A coat of many colors.
3. Twenty-four dollars.
4. The Lincoln Highway.
5. Mexico, from about 1200 to 1540.
6. Arthur Wellesley, Duke of Wellington (1769-1852).
7. A noted American author and illustrator (1853-1911).
8. Quadrillion.
9. That of Peter Mark Roget, an English physician and scientific writer (1779-1869).
10. Alexandre Dumas, the Elder (1802-1870).
11. A nineteenth century English poet (1798-1845), author of "I Remember, I Remember," "The Bridge of Sighs," etc.
12. To provide for delays incidental to the assembling of the electors, the notifying of the successful candidate, and the latter's trip to the capital, due to the difficulties of travel in the days when this provision was placed in the constitution.
13. (a) Athens, (b) Brussels.
14. 1907.
15. Hemlock, which he drank in prison to carry out the death penalty pronounced against him.
16. Eugene Victor Debs (1855-1926).
17. "From its firm base as soon as I." (From "The Lady of the Lake," by Sir Walter Scott).
18. Heligoland.
19. "Ivanhoe."
20. 39.37 inches.
21. The owner of many British newspapers, notably The London Times (1865-1922).
22. It was a gift made to the United States from the people of France by popular subscription.
23. Brigham Young (1801-1877).
24. The falcon.
25. Chester Alan Arthur (1830-1886).

SPECIAL QUIZ—EUROPEAN HISTORY

1. For what is Charlotte Corday famous?
2. Who was Camillo, Count di Cavour?
3. During what war of the nineteenth century did what Englishwoman become famous as a nurse?
4. What unsuccessful campaign of Napoleon was followed by one of the most disastrous retreats known to history?
5. In mediaeval history, what was "The Great Schism?"
6. Who was Charles Stewart Parnell?
7. At the outbreak of the World War, what nations constituted the "Triple Alliance?"
8. In French history, who were the Jacobins?
9. What Portuguese explorer set out from Spain in command of the first expedition to circumnavigate the globe?
10. Who were the Roundheads?

ANSWERS TO SPECIAL QUIZ—EUROPEAN HISTORY

1. For stabbing Jean Paul Marat, French Revolutionary leader, in his bath in 1793.
2. An Italian statesman (1810-1861). He was premier from 1852-1859.
3. Florence Nightingale (1820-1910), during the Crimean War.
4. The campaign in Russia prior to the retreat from Moscow.
5. In 1378, two Popes were elected by rival factions, and they and their successors held office in Rome and Avignon, respectively, until 1417, when Martin V became the sole Pope. (The term is also applied to the separation of the Greek and Roman Churches in the ninth century).
6. An Irish member of Parliament who was active in the interests of Ireland (1846-1891).
7. Germany, Austria - Hungary and Italy.
8. Members of the extreme democratic club established in the old Jacobin convent in Paris in 1789.
9. Ferdinand Magellan (about 1470-1521), in 1519.
10. Members of the Parliament Party in the English Civil War of the seventeenth century. They were so called from their custom of wearing their hair cut close.



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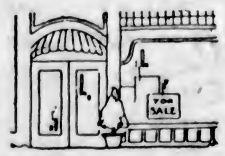

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ALASKA TO GET NEW DOCK SOON

COMBINATION PILING AND CRIB STRUCTURE FOR DALL ISLAND

Pacific Coast Company Negotiating in East for Purchase of Two Freighters

SEATTLE, Jan. 14.—Placing of a combination piling and crib dock at Dall Island, Alaska, at an estimated expense of $60,000, will start shortly after the end of the present month, according to N. D. Moore, vice-president of the Pacific Coast Company. The dock is the first actual construction step in the northern development of the Pacific Coast Cement Company, a subsidiary of the Pacific Coast Company and which will shortly break ground for the big cement plant to be built in Seattle.

All of the framing of the timbers of the dock has been completed in the warehouse on Pier A, and the timbers, piling and lumber will go north at the end of the month, probably on the St. Paul, which was recently purchased for the use of the cement company. A construction gang of fifty men will be sent north also and until quarters are built on shore will live on board the St. Paul.

Because of the rock bottom at Dall Island, the pier will be cribbed with large timbers and the cribbing filled with rock and sunk. Piling will be set in the cribs. According to plans of the dock the structure will have a 350-foot face and extend 200 feet out from shore.

ELECTRIC MOTORS

With framing of the dock completed, work is now going forward on the timbers for the power house, quarries and rock-crushing plant. The central power plant which will be steam, developing 700 electric horsepower, as all other machinery in the plant is to be driven by electric motors.

Major S. E. Hutton is general engineering supervisor of building construction and installation of machinery, while D. C. McDonald, expert in heavy type of building, is in charge of all woodwork framing and will supervise final work on the dock and buildings. McDonald recently completed building the top structure of the new Black Diamond Mine of the Pacific Coast Coal Company.

Negotiations for the purchase of two large carriers in the East to serve as freighters for the company are progressing, Moore says, but nothing definite has been closed as yet.

Plans for the Seattle units are wel lalong and machinery now being ordered. Actual construction will start in a few weeks.

President Taft Docks Tomorrow; Pierce Outbound

WITH 600 tons of cargo for discharge here, the American Mail liner President Taft will dock at the Rithet Consolidated piers from the Orient at 7 o'clock tomorrow morning, Mr. W. M. Allan, local agent for the company, announced yesterday. The Taft has a big cargo but only a light passenger list.

The President Pierce, of the same line, will sail for the Orient from the Rithet piers at 6 o'clock tomorrow evening. She is expected to dock here at 4 p.m. from Seattle.

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5:30 P.M.	3:00 P.M.
6:10 P.M.	4:30 P.M.
8:15 P.M.	6:00 P.M.
11:15 P.M.	7:15 P.M.

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Leaves Victoria	Leaves Sidney
10:00 A.M.	8:00 A.M.
3:00 P.M.	11:00 A.M.
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NANAIMO SIREN AROUSES WRATH

Citizens Will Bombard Ottawa With Protests Against Noisy Fog Signal in Harbor

NANAIMO, Jan. 14.—An indignation meeting called by Mayor Busby last night unanimously decided to demand the removal of a fog siren in Nanaimo harbor which has been keeping the town awake all night in foggy weather.

Resolutions will be sent to Premier Mackenzie King, Senator Planta, Hon. William Sloan, C. H. Dickie, M.P.; Dr. J. H. King, Minister of Health; A. W. Neill, M.P., and the Marine and Fisheries Department at Ottawa, urging that the siren which has been yowling and moaning like an animal in its death throes every night during the past week, be replaced by one less objectionable. The meeting decided to bombard the department with protests until it agrees to put the harbor monster out of its misery.

The grand jury at the last Fall Assizes brought in a recommendation that the siren be removed. Since then organizations repeatedly have voiced objections to the department. Last night as one man the nerve-shattered populace of Nanaimo vowed to continue their outcry, until peace and quiet is restored to the harbor.

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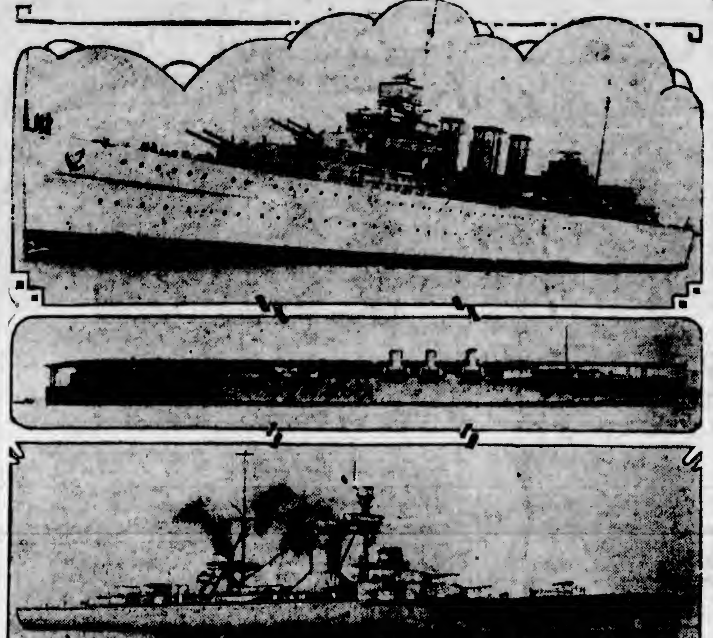


STYLES in warship design are ever changing to meet new situations, and these three pictures show some of the latest types in war vessels. Top—The new British cruiser H.M.S. Cumberland, capable of thirty-one knots an hour, and carrying eight eight-inch guns, four four-inch anti-aircraft guns and four three pounders. Centre—The latest Japanese aeroplane carrier, Hosho. The funnels on this vessel are on the starboard side, and can be lowered to allow planes to take off. Lower—The new Italian cruiser Trento, carrying two scouting aeroplanes, and having eight high-power eight-inch guns and fifteen smaller guns. She has a remarkable turn of speed for a ship-o'-war.

Schooner Ruby In Port; Food Supply Ran Low

SAN PEDRO, Cal., Jan. 14.—Revealing a harrowing experience, during which time the crew was threatened with starvation, Captain Louis Kanflich brought the three-masted schooner Ruby, of Seattle, into port late today. The Ruby, which had been lost at sea for eighty days in a dead calm, after leaving Manzanita, Mexico, was towed into port by the freighter Commercial Pathfinder and was docked for repairs before passing north.

Radio Beacons Guide Ships on English Coast

LONDON, Jan. 14.—The first of a series of radio beacons to be installed at various points round the English Coast to enable ships equipped with direction-finding apparatus to take their bearings, has been brought into use in the Scilly Islands. The call sign, "GGG," is repeated continuously in fair weather at the rate of fifteen words per minute for forty-seven seconds, followed by a dash of ten seconds and one repetition of the call sign, the whole operation taking exactly sixty seconds. This transmission is followed by three minutes' silence and is repeated three times, covering a total period of nine minutes each half hour. In foggy weather the signal consists of the one minute's transmission and three minutes' silence repeated continuously.

The whole apparatus is automatic. The range of the beacon for accurate bearings to a ship using a normal Marconi direction-finder is approximately seventy to 100 miles.

SCHOONER SUNK; CREW RESCUED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Destruction of an alleged rum schooner, the Gaspe Fisherman, flying an English flag, and the rescue of the crew of eight off Nantucket Island was reported today by the coastguard to the Treasury Department.

The coastguard destroyer McCall sighted the burning vessel earlier in the day and stood by until the crew took to a dory. After rescuing the men, the McCall fired several shots at the flaming derelict and sank her. The crew was taken to Boston and turned over to the immigration authorities.

The report, which was relayed to Washington by the coastguard destroyer Trippe, said the schooner's cargo was alcohol.

OIL FREIGHTER AT ESQUIMALT

Recently purchased by the Coastwise Steamship and Barge Company, the oil carrier Erbeta arrived at Esquimalt at about 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The American crew of the vessel was signed off on arrival here and will return to the United States aboard the Ruth Alexander, sailing from this port this morning.

Expected Tonight

The Canadian Spinner, it is expected, will dock at the Ogden Point piers tonight to start loading 800,000 feet of lumber for Jamaica and the Atlantic Coast tomorrow morning. The vessel has been considerably delayed.

RUTH TO SAIL THIS MORNING

Pacific Steamship Company's Vessel to Take Fair Passenger List to California

With a fairly large list of passengers, the Pacific Steamship Company's coastwise liner Ruth Alexander will sail for California from the Rithet Consolidated piers at 9 o'clock this morning.

Twenty-two members of the crew that brought the oil carrier Erbeta into Esquimalt Harbor yesterday afternoon and were paid off after the arrival of their vessel, will return to their homes in the United States aboard the Ruth.

Among those embarking on the vessel here will be Mrs. Wallace Watson and three children, Mr. Fred A. Orchard, Mr. J. F. Fleming, Mrs. George Newstead, Miss H. McIntosh, Mr. Troy Hodgson, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Guntz and family, Mr. and Mrs. F. Smith and two children, Mrs. H. A. Moodie and son, Mr. and Mrs. H. Munro, Mr. and Mrs. J. Scully, Mrs. A. Clegg, Mrs. Harriett Marion, Miss Mildred Stevens, Mr. Steenson, Mr. H. D. Ferguson, Mrs. Agnes Dalgleish, Miss Laura Mulvey, Mr. George L. Courtney, Mr. and Mrs. E. Lipsett, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Shelly, Mrs. J. L. Boyd and two children, Mr. A. McKenzie, Miss Lillian Young, Mr. and Mrs. A. Young.

At Cowichan Bay

COWICHAN BAY, Jan. 14.—The Edna Grace arrived in Cowichan Bay and left with a large boom of logs.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

SEATTLE, Jan. 14.—Arrived: James Griffiths, Shidzuoka Maru, Ruth Alexander, President Pierce, Tacoma; Pacific, Hafuku Maru, Portland; Doylestown, Cascade, Point Fermin, San Francisco, Stensby, New Westminster. Sailed: Point Fermin, Hofuku Maru, Achilles, Willbaco, Tacoma; Ruth Alexander, Victoria; Glymont, D. G. Scofield, Los Angeles; Lurline, Honolulu; Alaska, Southeastern Alaska; Stensby, Port Sudan; West Cape, Portland.

PORTLAND, Jan. 14.—Arrived: Kentuckian, Boston; Kinderdyk, Antwerp; Circinus, Puget Sound. Sailed: Planter, Eurana, London; Admiral Dewey, Munami, Celilo, San Francisco; Harry Luckenbach, Boston via Puget Sound; Anne Hanify, Los Angeles.

TACOMA, Jan. 14.—Arrived: Achilles, Willbaco, Seattle. Sailed: President Pierce, Glymont, Ruth Alexander, Seattle; Robin Gray, New York; James Griffiths, Dupont; Peralane, Cape York, Olympia; Shidzuoka Maru, Caska.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—Arrived: Wm. F. Herrin, Astoria; Cadaretta, Rose City, Canadian Farmer, Saginaw, San Pedro. Sailed: Steel Ranger, Port Townsend; S. C. T. Dodd, President Jackson, Admiral Benson, San Pedro; Edward Luckenbach, Dakotan, Portland; Maloio, Honolulu; Eastern Victor, New York; Coyo, Antofagasta; Dorothy Alexander, Seattle; Henry Grove, Dorothy Wintermote, Baltimore.

Arrived

OSLO, Jan. 10.—George Washington, Vancouver.
GENOA, Jan. 10.—Brenta II, Vancouver.
HONG KONG, Jan. 11.—Bearport, San Francisco.
BREMEN, Jan. 12.—Heina, Seattle.
LIVERPOOL, Jan. 13.—Paris City, Portland.
NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Astoria, Vancouver.

Sailed

LONDON, Jan. 12.—Moerdijk, Seattle.
PANAMA CANAL, Jan. 13.—Heffron, Lewis Luckenbach, President Hayes, San Francisco; Willhilo, San Diego; Koranton, Portland; Harold Walker, Manhattan Island, George W. Barnes, San Pedro; Kafiristan, Sageland, Vancouver.

WEATHER REPORT

ESTEVAN—Clear, north, light; 30.07; 43; moderate swell.
PACHENA—Clear, northwest, light; 30.16; 33; moderate swell.
CARMANAH—Clear, east; 30.08; moderate swell.
CAPE BEALE—Clear, north, light; 30.10; heavy swell.
PRINCE RUPERT—Overcast; southeast, light; 30.14; 31; smooth.
ALERT BAY—Clear, calm; 30.23; 37; smooth.

WIRELESS REPORT

(Estevan, 8 p.m., unless otherwise stated.)
PRINCESS MAQUINNA—Left Esperanza 4 p.m., northbound.
ROCHELIE—San Francisco to Vancouver, thirty-five miles south of Cape Flattery.
DORINGTON COURT—Vancouver to Port Royal, passed Cape Blanco 8.30 p.m.
W. S. MILLER—Portland to Los Angeles, 653 miles from Los Angeles.
CITY OF VANCOUVER—Grays Harbor to Japan, bar bound at Grays Harbor.
EDWARD LUCKENBACH—San Francisco to Portland, 483 miles from Columbia River.
PLANTER—Bound San Francisco, 210 miles south of Estevan.
CAPE OF GOOD HOPE—Shanghai to Vancouver, 1,100 miles from Estevan.
CASTLEMOOR—Bound Vancouver, 280 miles southwest of Estevan.

SHIPPING CALENDAR

To Arrive

AORANGI—From Antipodes, Jan. 6.
PARTHENIA—From United Kingdom, Jan. 8.
SHIDZUOKA MARU—From Orient, Jan. 10.
PACIFIC ENTERPRISE—From United Kingdom, Jan. 13.
ALABAMA MARU—From Orient, Jan. 12.
PRESIDENT TAFT—From United Kingdom, Jan. 16.
MONTGOMERYSHIRE—From United Kingdom, Jan. 21.
EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—From Orient, Jan. 23.
PACIFIC SHIPPER—From United Kingdom, Jan. 28.
YOKOHAMA MARU—From Orient, Jan. 28.
PRESIDENT JEFFERSON—From Orient, Jan. 30.
NIAGARA—From Antipodes, Feb. 3.
TOYAMA MARU—From Orient, Feb. 6.
LONDON IMPORTER—From United Kingdom, Feb. 11.
EMPRESS OF ASIA—From Orient, Feb. 13.
KAGA MARU—From Orient, Feb. 18.
PACIFIC RELIANCE—From United Kingdom, Feb. 27.
PACIFIC TRADER—From United Kingdom, March 13.

To Depart

EMMA ALEXANDER—For California, Jan. 6.
ARABIA MARU—For Orient, Jan. 10.
AORANGI—For Antipodes, Jan. 11.
PRESIDENT PIERCE—For Orient, Jan. 16.
SHIDZUOKA MARU—For Orient, Jan. 24.
PRESIDENT TAFT—For Orient, Jan. 30.
EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—For Orient, Feb. 4.
NIAGARA—For Antipodes, Feb. 6.
YOKOHAMA MARU—For Orient, Feb. 6.
EMPRESS OF ASIA—For Orient, Feb. 28.
AFRICA MARU—For Orient, Feb. 20.
KAGA MARU—For Orient, March 3.
ARABIA MARU—For Orient, March 13.

C.G.M.M. MOVEMENTS

CANADIAN IMPORTER—Left Panama for Halifax, Jan. 4, due Victoria again on March 18.
CANADIAN RANGER—Arrived Montreal, Nov. 26.
CANADIAN SPINNER—Left Fraser Mills for Barnet, Jan. 7; sails Jan. 11.
CANADIAN WINNER—Left Halifax for Sydney, N.S., Jan. 2; due here Feb. 17.
CANADIAN MILLER—Arrived Victoria from Montreal, Jan. 8.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS

JANUARY, 1928

China and Japan

TATHYBIUS (Japan only)—Mails close January 10, 1 p.m. Due at Yokohama January 28.
PRESIDENT PIERCE—Mails close January 16, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama January 29, Shanghai, February 2; Hong Kong, February 5.
LONDON MARU (Japan only)—Mails close January 16, 11 p.m. Due at Yokohama February 4.
SHIDZUOKA MARU (Japan only)—Mails close January 24, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama February 8.
PRESIDENT TAFT—Mails close January 30, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama February 12; Shanghai, February 16; Hong Kong, February 10.
ACHILLES (Japan only)—Mails close January 31, 1 p.m. Due at Yokohama February 14.

Australia and New Zealand

AORANGI—Mails close January 11, 4 p.m. Due at Auckland January 30; Sydney, February 4.
SONOMA (Fiji and Australia only)—Mails close January 16, 4 p.m. Due at Sydney February 8.
TAHITI—Mails close January 23, 4 p.m. Due at Wellington February 13, Sydney, February 18.

GULF ISLANDS SERVICE

The Ss. Otter will leave Victoria on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays at 7:15 a.m. and the Princess Royal on Tuesdays at 11 a.m. to Gulf Islands points.

HONOLULU WILL GET CONFERENCE

Pan-Pacific Parley on Advertising and Marketing Is Planned for Hawaiian Port

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—A Pan-Pacific conference on advertising and marketing will be held in connection with the annual convention of the Pacific Advertising Clubs Association at Honolulu next June, according to announcement by A. Carman Smith, new president of the association. Mr. Smith was recently elected to succeed Harold J. Stonier, who resigned to go to New York City.

The association embraces advertising clubs in California, Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Alaska, Hawaii and British Columbia. The convention to be held in Honolulu next June is the first in the history of the association off the Mainland.

In a statement issued in connection with the plan to enlarge the sphere of the annual meeting, Mr. Smith said: "We believe this conference will be an epochal event in the life of organized advertising. The westward trend of commerce has now reached the point where the commercial interests of America are extending recognition to the tremendous markets of the Pacific Coast and of the Pan-Pacific countries which in turn are making a strong bid for American business.

"Through the good offices of Governor William R. Farrington of Hawaii, we hope to enlist the co-operation of commercial attaches representing the governmental and commercial interests of all countries bordering on the Pacific.

"Such conferences, international in character, should be able to bring about the more intelligent development of our commercial and social intercourse with our neighbors bordering on the Pacific. The Honolulu convention is a distinct opportunity to bring about this better understanding, establishing as it will a common meeting ground for commercial interests at the crossroads of the Pacific."

FISHING FLEET IS BEING BUILT

Lulu Island Shipyard Turning Out Numerous Craft for Operations on Lake Athabasca

NEW WESTMINSTER, Jan. 14.—For the last few weeks the Star Shipyard, Lulu Island, has been occupied in turning out a big order of gasoline fishing boats and three stern-wheel light draft vessels. The boats are to be used in fishing operations on Lake Athabaska, and their estimated cost is $120,000. They are being built for the Canada Fur & Fisheries Limited, a stock company organized under Federal charter, to exploit the fishing possibilities of the Northern lake, which contains tremendous quantities of salmon trout and whitefish.

Twenty power fishing boats fully equipped are being turned out in addition to the three stern-wheelers. Ten of the smaller craft will be twenty-six feet in length and eight feet in width, and ten will be thirty-five feet long and nine feet wide. The estimated cost of the twenty is $20,000.

The larger vessels are 110 feet long, with a beam of twenty feet and a draft of two feet. They will be used to carry the fish from Lake Athabaska to railhead at Waterways, Alberta, the end of the line of the Great Waterways Railway, which is operated by the C.N.R. Their power will be supplied by two 150-horsepower Diesel engines and their estimated cost is $90,000.

All of the boats which are under construction at the Star Shipyards will be shipped "knocked-down" to Waterways, where they will be put together and then taken under their own power to Athabaska Lake. The first of them is expected to leave the city within the next week or ten days and this year the company plans to start fishing at the end of the month or during the first week in February.

It is planned to carry on fishing operations for four months in the Summer and for two months in the Winter. Captain A. T. Gowe, well-known shipping man of Vancouver, is superintendent of the company.

Isthmian Line Vessel Is Due This Evening

To load approximately 800,000 feet of lumber for the Atlantic Coast, the Isthmian Line freighter Pacific will dock at the Ogden Point piers at 8 o'clock this evening, King Brothers, local agents for the vessel, stated yesterday.

Loading will not begin until tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock, King Brothers said.

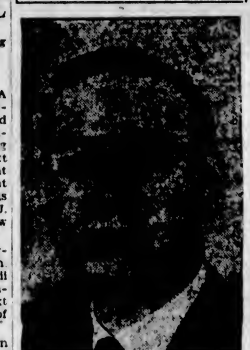
TO INTERROGATE RADIO OPERATOR

SEATTLE, Jan. 14.—The unnecessary SOS calls sent out by the steamship Griffco this week will come under investigation of the San Francisco government radio office, the local supervisor of radio announced here today. Upon the arrival of the ship at Honolulu Captain Martin and Radio Operator Gellerman will be interrogated.

BELGIAN VESSEL IS TOTAL LOSS

RIO DE JANEIRO, Jan. 14.—The Belgian steamer King Leopold ran ashore on the Sao Thome Bank here today and was given up as a total loss. The crew was taken off safely. The ship was en route to Buenos Aires with a cargo of coal.

Vancouver Man Now C.N.R. Foreign Agent



MR. E. C. SPALDING

Who has been appointed foreign freight agent, Canadian National Railways, Vancouver, succeeding Mr. Lorne McCutcheon, who moves to Ottawa as division freight agent.

VESSEL SAILS FOR CHEMAINUS

Neptunian Leaves for Up-Island Port—Usuri Maru Will Leave for Vancouver Today

The freighter Neptunian sailed for Chemainus from the Ogden Point piers at 10 o'clock last night, after loading 1,100,000 feet of lumber for Sydney, N.S.W.

King Brothers, local agents for both the Neptunian and the Japanese freighter Usuri Maru, announced yesterday that the latter vessel would sail for Vancouver at 5 o'clock this afternoon after loading 650,000 feet of lumber at the Rithet Consolidated piers. The Usuri's local cargo consists of Japanese squares for Yokohama.

SHIP ARRIVALS AT VANCOUVER

VANCOUVER, Jan. 14.—During 1927 20,363 ships arrived at the port of Vancouver with a net tonnage of 10,301,257 tons, including 1,098 deep-sea vessels.

A total of 3,680,850 tons of cargo of all classes was handled inward and outward.

Arrivals, net tonnage and cargo handled show increases over 1926.

Shipping Information

SUNRISE AND SUNSET
JANUARY

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1928.

	Sunrise	Sunset		Sunrise	Sunset
1	8:06	4:27	17	8:00	4:47
2	8:06	4:28	18	7:58	4:49
3	8:06	4:29	19	7:58	4:50
4	8:06	4:30	20	7:57	4:52
5	8:06	4:31	21	7:56	4:53
6	8:05	4:33	22	7:55	4:55
7	8:05	4:33	23	7:54	4:56
8	8:05	4:34	24	7:53	4:56
9	8:05	4:35	25	7:52	4:59
10	8:05	4:37	26	7:51	5:01
11	8:04	4:38	27	7:50	5:02
12	8:04	4:40	28	7:49	5:04
13	8:03	4:41	29	7:47	5:05
14	8:03	4:43	30	7:46	5:07
15	8:02	4:44	31	7:45	5:08
16	8:01	4:46			

MOONRISE AND MOONSET
JANUARY

Time of moonrise and moonset (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1928.

Date	Rises	Sets
1	12:48 p.m.	1:16 a.m.
2	1:14 p.m.	2:34 a.m.
3	1:44 p.m.	3:55 a.m.
4	2:18 p.m.	5:15 a.m.
5	3:04 p.m.	6:32 a.m.
6	4:01 p.m.	7:42 a.m.
(Full Moon)		
7	5:08 p.m.	8:40 a.m.
8	6:17 p.m.	9:28 a.m.
9	7:28 p.m.	10:00 a.m.
10	8:40 p.m.	10:28 a.m.
11	9:49 p.m.	10:51 a.m.
12	10:55 p.m.	11:10 a.m.
13	....	11:28 a.m.
14	....	11:46 a.m.
(Last Quarter)		
15	1:04 a.m.	12:04 p.m.
16	2:00 a.m.	12:25 p.m.
17	3:14 a.m.	12:48 p.m.
18	4:20 a.m.	1:13 p.m.
19	5:25 a.m.	1:58 p.m.
20	6:26 a.m.	2:40 p.m.
21	7:22 a.m.	3:37 p.m.
22	8:10 a.m.	4:43 p.m.
(New Moon)		
23	8:48 a.m.	5:56 p.m.
24	9:21 a.m.	7:13 p.m.
25	9:49 a.m.	8:30 p.m.
26	10:11 a.m.	9:48 p.m.
27	10:33 a.m.	11:06 p.m.
28	10:54 a.m.	....
29	11:18 a.m.	0:23 a.m.
(First Quarter)		
30	11:44 a.m.	1:42 a.m.
31	12:10 p.m.	3:01 a.m.

TIDES AT VICTORIA
JANUARY

Date	Time H. M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H. M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H. M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H. M.	Ht. Ft.
1	3 18	5.0	0 51	6.5	17 02	4.8	23 07	8.4
2	3 40	6.0	10 10	8.5	17 55	2.8		
3			10 40	8.7	18 42	3.4		
4			11 15	10.1	18 38	1.8		
5			11 48	10.4	20 12	0.7		
6		8.1		0.1	12 20	10.5	20 54	8.4
7	7 08	8.3	8 42	8.1	12 58	10.3	21 34	0.8
8	7 28	8.2	8 34	8.0	13 33	8.8	22 13	0.6
9	7 53	8.3	10 38	8.7	14 00	9.3	22 53	1.8
10	8 18	8.1	11 51	8.3	14 38	8.8	23 33	3.3
11	8 27	6.0	13 13	7.7	15 03	7.8		
12	0 13	3.3	8 22	8.0		6.8		8.9
13	0 46	4.3	8 40	8.0		6.1		8.1
14	1 11	6.3	9 08	9.0	17 04	8.4		8.6
15		8.8	9 28	8.0	17 57	4.7		
16			9 50	8.1	18 13	4.1		
17			10 14	8.3	18 28	3.4		
18			10 43	8.3	18 07	2.8		
19			10 27	8.4	18 36	2.3		
20			10 41	8.8	20 16	1.8		
21			11 33	8.8	20 44	1.2		
22			12 20	8.8	21 31	1.1		
23			13 07	8.7	22 00	1.3		
24	7 46	8.6	10 13	6.4	13 56	8.3	22 41	1.6
25	7 14	8.4	11 10	7.8	14 55	8.8	23 33	2.3
26	7 18	8.5	12 12	7.1	16 08	6.8		
27	0 03	3.1	7 30	8.8	13 17	8.3	17 48	7.3
28	0 38	4.3	7 56	8.8	14 23	5.4	18 46	8.7
29	1 08	8.8	8 17	8.1	16 27	4.4	22 08	8.8
30	1 13	6.3	8 40	8.4	16 36	3.4		
31			9 06	8.7	17 31	3.6		

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tides rise or fall continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of lower low water.

Esquimalt—To find the depth of water on the sill of the drydock at any time, add thirty feet to the height of high water as given above.

SALMON TREATY HELD ESSENTIAL

U.S.-CANADA PACT SHOULD BE CONCLUDED SOON, SAYS MAGAZINE

Fraser Spawning Areas Can Be Restored to Former Productivity, It Thinks

"With the convening of the new Congress, attention is once more being focused on questions of legislation and governmental action," says an editorial in Pacific Fisherman, published at Seattle. "Congress has before it comparatively few of the major issues with which it has been largely occupied since the beginning of the World War, and is therefore likely to give more attention to legislation on special subjects, among which are many bearing directly or indirectly on the fisheries and the packing industries. At the same time, various matters of executive policy and action are again coming into the foreground.

"An issue of the utmost importance to the Northwest is the proposed treaty with Canada for the maintenance and restoration of the Puget Sound-Fraser River sockeye salmon run, action on which has been delayed for years by disagreement between the Federal Government and the State of Washington on a point of detail. The assent of the Governor of this state is apparently necessary before further progress can be made; and it is stated that a new draft is being submitted to Governor Hartley, in the hope that it will meet his approval. If this difficulty is once straightened out, little doubt is felt that the treaty will be adopted.

ALLOWED TO DRAG

"This matter has been allowed to drag far too long. Efforts to bring this international fishery under such control as would prevent its destruction have been made since 1902. Since 1913 the fishery has been practically dead as far as current production is concerned, but its possibilities still exist. Action looking to its restoration was sought in 1913 and again in 1918. More recently a treaty has been drafted, the general terms of which appeared to be generally acceptable; but the matter has continued to hang fire year after year. If the measures now proposed had been adopted in 1913, or even some years later, it is safe to say that the fishery would by this time have been pretty well restored; but these efforts have been defeated in the past by the conflict of diverse interests warring over what little is left of the spoils, and if it again meets defeat it will be for the same reason.

"As a factor in salmon production the Fraser should actually be of much greater importance than the Columbia, whose greatest pack was less than 650,000 cases, but which still averages over 500,000 cases a year. In contrast, the Fraser has produced over 2,350,000 cases in a single season, which at present prices would be worth over $37,000,000. There is no question that, if sensibly handled, the spawning areas of this stream could be restored to something like their former productiveness, with a pack worth $20,000,000 or more annually. It can be done—why don't we do it?

"The international character of the fishery should not be worth considering as an obstacle. If a resource of this magnitude were in the hands of two large corporations—if, for instance, a question involving such possibilities of return should arise between the Canadian Pacific and Northern Pacific Railroads—how long would it take them to get together on a constructive, co-operative programme?"

LOCAL COMPANY BUILDS SLIPWAY

A new marine slipway for the handling of small craft is now in operation by the Murdie-Wood Engineering Works on the Industrial Reserve.

The new slipway is capable of handling vessels up to eighty-five feet in length. In addition, the firm has a fully-equipped machine shop, including a special cylinder grinding machine for all types of cylinders. There isfifteen feet of water ir front of the wharf at low tide.

Cable Official Will Return to Bamfield Post

Mr. Kendrick C. Cox, superintendent of Pacific cable stations for the Imperial Pacific Cable Board, will return to Bamfield next July for a one-year term at the West Coast post, according to advices received here yesterday.

Mr. Cox is at present stationed at Auckland, New Zealand. He was at Bamfield some years ago. During the war he was transferred to the Fanning Islands and, when the station there was closed, he went to Norfolk Island. He left that post to take up his present position at Auckland.

NEW YORK SUGAR

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Raw sugar market had an easier tone today, while spot prices were unchanged at 4.52 for Cuban, duty paid.

The only sales reported were 75,000 bags of Cuban for January shipment at the quoted price.

The refined market was quiet and unchanged at 5.80 for fine granulated.

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1 BIRTHS

GRIFFIN—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on January 12, 1928, to Mr. and Mrs. E. Griffin, Hammond, B.C., a son.

DALE—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on January 14, 1928, to Mr. and Mrs. C. Dale, 1509 Camosun Street, a daughter.

DAVIES—At the Beechcroft Nursing Home, to Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Davies, of 1327 Arm Street, on January 14th, a daughter.

2 DEATHS

EUSTACE—On December 11, 1927, in London, England, Evelyn Marr, nee Stonestreet, beloved wife of Major-General A. H. Eustace, C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O.

KENWAY—Agnes Hamilton, wife of D. M. Kenway, at her residence, 1146 Rockland Avenue, January 14, 1928.

Remains now resting at the B.C. Funeral Parlors. The funeral will take place on Tuesday afternoon, at 2.15, proceeding to Christ Church Cathedral, where service will be conducted at 2.30. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park.

DE MACEDO—The death took place Saturday, 14th inst., of Joaquin A. A. de Macedo, of 1010 Olympian Avenue, aged fifty-one years. He was the eldest of seven sons of the late Joaquin A. and Mrs. de Macedo, of this city, and leaves to mourn his loss his mother, widow and two sons, Tom and Charles, and four sisters and six brothers. He was born in Leeds, Yorkshire, England, and was formerly lieutenant in Leeds Rifles Regiment and during the Great War served in the Royal Flying Corps, and was a member of the Canadian Legion, Pro Patria Branch. He was a Knight of Columbus and was employed in the Government Lands Department for several years.

Funeral arrangements are in the hands of the Thomson Funeral Company and will be announced later.

HUNTER—In this city, on January 13, 1928, there passed away Mrs. Ida Hunter, beloved wife of Chief Justice Gordon Hunter, of 337 Belleville Street, aged sixty-one years nine months, and born in Illinois, U.S.A. The late Mrs. Hunter had been a resident of Victoria for the past thirty-one years.

The remains are reposing at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, from where the funeral will take place on Monday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Interment will take place in Ross Bay Cemetery.

McCREA—On January 13, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Thomas P. McConnell, of 403 Linden Avenue, Mrs. Annie Rebecca McCrea, widow of the late Hon. A. McCrea, of Minnesota, aged seventy-nine years, born in Wolverhampton, England, and a resident of this city for the past thirty-five years. The late Mrs. McCrea is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Thomas P. McConnell, of Linden Avenue; Mrs. H. Perry, of San Diego, and Miss Alice Kirkwood, of New Westminster; one son, Mr. James Samuel Kirkwood, of San Diego; two brothers, Richard Lee, in Minnesota, and George Lee, in Oregon; also two sisters, Mrs. I. J. Broder and Mrs. E. C. Simmonds, of Portland.

The funeral will take place on Monday, January 16, at 3 o'clock, from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick will officiate and the remains will be laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

RENDELL—On January 13, at the residence of her son, Mr. Thomas H. Rendell, of 1620 Bay Street, Mrs. Jennie McLeish Rendell, age seventy-four years, born in Toronto, and a resident of this city for the past forty-nine years. The late Mrs. Rendell is survived by three sons and two daughters, namely, Edward P., Fred B. and Thomas H., and Misses Edna and Gertrude Rendell, also two grandchildren.

The funeral will take place on Monday, January 16, the cortege leaving the Sands Funeral Chapel at 10.55 o'clock, and at 11 o'clock services will be conducted at St. John's Church by the Rev. N. E. Smith, and the remains will be laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

4 CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. C. J. Lang and Mrs. F. W. Baylis wish to thank their friends for their many kind inquiries, expressions of sympathy and floral tributes, in their recent sad bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. Hughes, 2660 Savannah Avenue, wish to thank their many friends for kindness and sympathy and beautiful floral tributes received during their sudden bereavement in the loss of a dear friend, John Morris.

Mrs. Lucy Billsborough and family wish to thank their many friends for their kind sympathy and floral tributes in their recent loss of a loving husband and father.

The family of the late Mrs. A. E. Burt wish to convey their sincere thanks to their many kind friends who sent messages of sympathy and flowers, and all who helped in any way, also the Ladies' Aid of the Reformed Episcopal Church and the sisters of Colfax Rebecca Lodge, in their recent sad bereavement.

5 IN MEMORIAM

WALKER—In loving memory of our dear husband and father, Robert Hampton Walker, who was called to his eternal home January 18, 1928 (on his way to his earthly home and dear ones), coming off duty in the City Police Department, where he had been a faithful member for thirty-seven years.

Ever dearly remembered and sadly missed by his widow and two sons, and all who knew him.

PASSED BEYOND THE VEIL

When God calls home the dear ones whom we love,
To dwell with Him in perfect peace above,
We cannot feel that He has loosed the tie
Which bound our human hearts on earth; so I
Find comfort in the thought that they may be
My guardian angels, keeping watch o'er me.

For sometimes, when my heart and I need cheer,
These loved ones seem to hover very near.
I almost feel the touch of each dear hand
Upon my own, to help me understand
I still am theirs and they are mine, e'en though
They dwell in heaven, I on earth below.

No broken ties, but just a veil between
My earthly vision and that world unseen!
A little time to wait while loved ones there
Keep tender watch o'er me, till I may share
Their perfect peace and God's most perfect love,
Known unto those who dwell with Him above.

(Selected.)

—Margaret Jean Walker.

—Inserted by his widow and two sons.

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9 CHURCH NOTICES

ANGLICAN

Christ Church Cathedral, Holy Communion, 8 a.m., 8 a.m. and after Matins at 11 a.m. Matins and sermon, 11 a.m.; preacher, the Dean. Evensong and sermon, 7.30 p.m.; preacher, Rev. T. R. Rowe. Sunday school (Memorial Hall): Senior classes, 9.45 a.m.; junior classes, 11 a.m. Very Rev. C. S. Quainton, D.D., Dean and Rector.

St. Mary's Church, Elgin Road, Oak Bay. Holy Communion, 8 a.m. Litany and sermon, 11 a.m. Evensong and sermon, 7 p.m. Sunday school. Senior classes, 9.45 a.m.; junior classes, 11 a.m. Rector, Rev. A. E. deL. Nunns, M.A.

St. Alban's, Belmont and Ryan. Holy Communion, 8 a.m. Matins, 11 a.m. Evensong, 7 p.m. Sunday school, 3.15 p.m.

St. Martin's-in-the-Fields, the Gorge. Sunday school, 10 a.m. Evensong, 7 p.m. The Very Rev. Dean Quainton will be the preacher.

BAPTIST

Douglas Street Baptist Church. W. T. Tapscott, pastor. Morning subject, "Doing Our Best." Evening, "Sight for the Blind."

Emmanuel Baptist Church. Rev. Henry Knox, pastor. Services today. Sunday school at 9.45 a.m. Public worship, 11 o'clock. Subject of sermon, "Faithfulness." Evening, 7.30, "Outside the Kingdom. Why?"

CHRISTADELPHIAN

1105 Wharf Street. Today, at 11 a.m. Public lecture at 7.30 p.m., subject, "The Path to Eternal Life." Everybody welcome. No collection. Note: We broadcast at 4 p.m. today from Station CFCT.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Chambers and Pandora. Services, 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Subject for today, "Life." Testimonial meeting Wednesday, 8 p.m. Reading room and lending library, 612 Sayward Building, daily, except Sunday, 10 to 5. Wednesday, 10 to 7. Visitors are welcome to the services and the reading rooms.

FORUM HALL

717 Pandora Avenue, 7.30 p.m. Mr. W. Moriarty, of Toronto. Subject, "The Labor Movement—Left or Right?" Questions and discussion.

NEW THOUGHT

New Thought Temple, 935 Pandora Ave. Dr. A. F. Barton at both services. 11 a.m., "The Sunlit Way." 7.30 p.m., "The Resurrected Mind." Sunday school meets at 11 a.m. Wednesday, 8 p.m., "Health—How to Get and Keep It." Freewill offering. All welcome.

OAKLANDS HALL

Oaklands Gospel Hall, Hillside car terminus. 11 a.m., worship. 3 p.m., school. At 7 p.m. Mr. J. McCallum, missionary from West Indies, will preach the Gospel. Also on Tuesday, at 8 p.m. All are welcome.

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7.30 p.m., speaker, Mrs. Gordon Grant
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Thursday, 8 p.m., Study Class
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PRESBYTERIAN

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. Rev. W. Leslie Clay, D.D., minister. Sabbath school, 9.45 a.m. Morning service, 11 o'clock. Sermon, "Paul at Athens." Solo, "Come Ye Blessed" (Prindle Scott), Mrs. Duncan McTavish. Anthem, "Let God Arise" (Simper), solo, Mrs. E. A. Eatlin. Evening service, 7.30 o'clock. Sermon, "The Crown of Friendship." Solo, "Teach Me to Pray" (Jewett), Miss Isabel Crawford. Anthem, "Comes at Times" (Galbraith).

9 CHURCH NOTICES (Continued)

REFORMED EPISCOPAL

Church of Our Lord, Reformed Episcopal, Humboldt and Blanshard. Rector, Rev. A. deB. Owen. Services, 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.

ROSICRUCIAN

Rosicrucian Fellowship. Study class in "Cosmo-Conception," Friday, 8 p.m., 318 Central Bldg. New students invited.

SPIRITUALIST

First Spiritualist Church, Harmony Hall, 724 Fort Street. Service, 7.30 p.m. Speaker, Mr. Endicott, Vancouver. Messages at close.

THEOSOPHY

Victoria Independent Theosophical Society, 204 Jones Building. Today, 8 p.m., subject, "Karma." All welcome.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

Centennial United Church, Gorge Road. Rev. Hugh Nixon, Nanaimo, morning and evening. J. P. Westman, pastor.

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10 COMING EVENTS

ALEXANDRA HALL DANCE, SATURDAY night; Hunt's Orchestra. Admission 25c and 50c.

BURNS CELEBRATION — THE ST. Andrew's and Caledonian Society is holding a grand Scottish concert and dance in the A.O.F. Hall on Thursday, January 19, at 8.30 p.m. Real Scotch refreshments; haggis, etc. Tickets 50c.

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MONDAY, JAN. 16—EAGLES' MARCHING Club, whist drive, Eagles' Hall, Pandora Avenue and Douglas Street, 8.30 p.m. Good prizes. Admission 25 cents.

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UNIVERSITY EXTENSION LECTURE, Victoria College, Thursday, 8.15. Speaker, Dean Brock. Subject, "The United States and the Pacific."

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63 POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK (Continued)

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FOR SALE—100 EWES, ALSO 2 SOWS and 1 boar. Phone W. Lock, Belmont 9W.

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FOR SALE—TOGGENBERG GOAT, ONE year old, $7. Phone 7845Y.

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FOR SALE—ENGLISH SETTER DOG, rising three. Betchelor Rackett strain, splendid hunter. Phone 5592R.

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1918 FORD Touring, good tires and in splendid order ... $50
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1924 DODGE TOURING	$395
1925 DODGE TOURING	$495
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FORD Bug ... 195
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Big Six STUDEBAKER, cheap
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1927 CHANDLER COUPE	$1500
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1925 PAIGE SPORTS TOURING (glass enclosure)	$1600

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STAR "6," only a few months old and run 1,500 miles. We can give you a rare bargain on this one, too.

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69 BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

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COUNTRY HOTEL, BEAUTIFUL SITUAtion on the waterfront, over 2 ACRES of attractive grounds, 26 rooms all furnished, everything in good shape. It is a going concern doing a very profitable business, licensed premises. We have it at an attractive price for quick sale. Reason for selling and full details on application.

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78 HOUSES FOR SALE

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78 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

OAK BAY DISTRICT — SIX-ROOM bungalow, large entrance hall with fireplace, three bedrooms, bath and toilet separate, glassed-in balcony, full cement basement, furnace. Situate on corner with two lots, 60 x 135 each. J. N. Holland, 208 Pemberton Bldg.

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OAK BAY

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78 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

UPLANDS

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WELL-FURNISHED NEW FIVE-ROOM STUCCO BUNGALOW, in choicest part of Oak Bay, south of the Avenue. Entrance hall with French doors, large drawing-room, open fireplace, built-in bookcases, dining-room, panelled, with built-in buffet. All these rooms have OAK flooring. Two bedrooms, one with open fireplace, cedar-lined cupboards, three-piece bathroom; large kitchen with laundry tubs and numerous built-in features, full cement basement. This home is artistically furnished with new and valuable furniture. This home complete. Immediate possession. Price on application. No phone information.

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78 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

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WE SPECIALIZE IN OAK BAY

A SURVEY of this desirable district has given us complete listings, and we are in a position to place before purchasers all Oak Bay houses that are at present on the market. This naturally saves much time to intending purchasers.

DALLAS AVENUE, close to Beacon Hill Park and beach. An excellent six-roomed bungalow, in sheltered position. Fine well-kept garden; convenient to car line. Only $4000

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NIAGARA STREET, close to Beacon Hill Park and near car line. A fine six-roomed house in excellent condition; basement, furnace, nice garden, only $4000

BARGAIN. Good eight-room house, in nice condition; garage; situated off Quadra, near Hillside car, on high ground. View of mountains. Easily worth $4,000. To settle estate will deliver for $3,150, reasonable terms.

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FOR SALE

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HALLS, 10 ft. by 19 ft. and 4 ft. by 14 ft., panelled. Toilet and lavatory at end of hall, convenient to all downstairs rooms. The stairway to upper floor is directly opposite the front entry and is wainscoted to correspond to the panelling in the hall.

DRAWING-ROOM, 13 ft. by 22 ft. Two bay windows, open fireplace with mirror and overmantel; electric light fittings, six-globe clusters and two wall singles.

LIBRARY AND DEN, 13 ft. by 22 ft. Two bay windows, open fireplace, mirror and overmantel. One large bookcase, built in, 12 ft. by 9 ft., with two drawers and cupboards.

DINING-ROOM, 12 ft. by 17 ft., panelled and beamed ceilings; open fireplace with overmantel and mirror; large casement window, small colored window over recess for buffet, china closet.

BEDROOM, 14 ft. by 14 ft., with individual bathroom, lavatory and toilet, and extra large clothes closet. This room opens off the dining-room through a short hall, which has a stair connecting with the back yard.

KITCHEN, 12 ft. by 12 ft., connected with screen porch, storeroom and stair to garage driveway. The dining-room is connected to the kitchen by way of an 8 ft. by 10 ft. nook or breakfast-room, which is fitted with cupboards; there are two built-in box seats in the nook.

UPPER FLOOR

BEDROOMS. There are three bedrooms, 12 ft. by 14 ft. each, two sleeping porches, bathroom and lavatory, with separate toilet and linen closet.

GARAGE, 12 ft. by 20 ft., with cement floor, work bench and electric light connections.

There is a Summer house with cement floor and a cement walk all around the yard.

The downstairs bedroom is connected with a small hot water heating furnace; bedroom and bathroom have hot water radiators, only used in very cold weather.

The property has a frontage of 72 ft. by a depth of 120 ft. Taxes are only $71.28. Linoleum in hall and a large carpet in the drawing-room are included.

PRICE. Terms Arranged $8000

Exclusive Agents
H. O. DALBY & CO., LTD
634 View Street

$350

FIRST PAYMENT and $30 per month, at 8%, buys a six-room cottage, modern; garage. Large fenced lot, in fruit. Just listed, $1,800.

CLARK REALTY
Suite 1, Surrey Block, 639 Yates

HOMES AND INVESTMENT

We have some exceptional bargains that will provide a good home and make some money for buyer in case of resale.

$2950—MODERN six-room bungalow, close in, Fairfield, and near car, large living-room, open fire, basement and garage, attractive and with nice garden. Easy terms.

$3900—WELL built modern stucco home, on high ground, lovely location, with oak trees, four rooms and breakfast nook, concrete basement, every conceivable built-in feature, nearly ½-acre lot, in Oak Bay. Third cash.

$1100—GOOD six-room home with bath, two miles from City Hall and near car. Owner losing heavily, but leaving city. Terms.

$2650—FOUR acres, with a four-room bungalow, garage and poultry house, six miles out. $500 cash.

$5300—SIX miles out, two acres, nice bungalow, fully furnished, garage, 450 laying hens and poultry plant. A home and living.

We have some very fine homes with three to five bedrooms at bargain prices. See us first.

ALDER & SONS, LTD.
217 Central Bldg Phone 3019

6-ROOM BUNGALOW, STEAM HEATED, modern, concrete basement, garage; close in, price $3,500. 8-room bungalow on Haultain Street, with full size basement, half concrete, garage, price $1,800. 4-room bungalow on Scott Street, a very nice home, full basement, $1,700. 4-room bungalow, new this year, 2 large lots, garage, close to Gorge waters, price $2,800. T. B. MONK & CO., Suite 11, Arcade Bldg. 613 View Street Phone 1970

79 WANTED TO BUY—HOUSES

BUSINESS MAN WILL ADVANCE SIX months' rent on lease, with option of buying modern bungalow, three bedrooms. Oak Bay preferred. Box 6734, Colonist.

I WANT A GOOD LITTLE HOME. MUST be modern and up to date. Will pay cash if I see what I want. Box 9815, Colonist.

WANTED FOR CLIENTS — REALLY modern five-room bungalow, walking distance Parliament Buildings; cash buyer; six-room house, modern, basement, near car, price limit $3,000, terms wanted; also lots Fairfield, James Bay and Oak Bay. The Royal Trust Company, Real Estate Department, Belmont House, Victoria.

79 WANTED TO BUY—HOUSES (Continued)

WANTED TO PURCHASE IMMEDIATELY, twelve-room house, east of Oak Bay Junction. No agents. Apply Box 8731, Colonist.

80 PROPERTY FOR SALE

80A BUSINESS PROPERTIES

APARTMENT BLOCK—10 SUITES AND two stores, hot water heated; furniture of suites, stock and fixtures of one store are included in price. A nice buy for someone who will live on the place. Brings in $209 a month. Taxes $300. Price only $8,900. Would consider part trade. $3,500 cash handles.

LARGE HOUSE, DIVIDED INTO FOUR suites, including a four-room suite for owner's use. It is substantially built and in first class condition, situated on good street, taxes $130. Price $7,500.

A GOOD APARTMENT HOUSE of 13 suites, all rented, situated in high class district. Yearly revenue over $4,000, taxes $230. Will show 15% net on total investment of $19,000. This is well worth your careful consideration.

We have an interesting list of apartment houses, hotels and guest houses. Inquiries welcomed.

WANTED—We want listings of grocery, confectionery, hotels and other businesses for sale; also partnerships. Buyers waiting.

PEMBERTON & SON
Phone 388 625 Fort Street

EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY FOR AN investment in Oak Bay waterfrontage which should show a very handsome profit in the next eighteen months, this being the only waterfrontage subdivision left in this much sought after district. No phone information.

For further particulars apply
B C BOND CORPORATION, LTD
1200 Government Street

FOR SALE—ON SAANICH ROAD, LOT, almost an acre; good location; price $600. Owner, Box 6806, Colonist.

FOR SALE—LOT, 60x135, ON BANK ST., just off Oak Bay Avenue, price $450; or will trade for car same value. Phone 2928R1.

$150—ABOUT ½ THE ASSESSED VALUE, to close an estate, this desirable lot, cleared but with some oaks left, can be bought at the above low figure on terms if desired. F. F. Higgs, 206 Pemberton Building.

80 MISCELLANEOUS

OFFER WANTED FOR LOT K-13, ORED Avenue, Goege. 2918 First Avenue East, Vancouver.

CADBORO BAY
TEN-MILE POINT

WE OFFER 2 ACRES WATERFRONT. Beautiful building site, unobstructed view, overlooking bay. For further particulars apply

R. V. WINCH & CO., LTD.
Phone 5180 Established 1860

82 ACREAGE FOR SALE

PEMBERTON & SON

BEAUTIFUL ISLAND HOME

72 ACRES ON SEAFRONT, has 15 acres under cultivation; 3 acres in orchard, and balance part cleared sheep pasture. Modern 7-roomed house of attractive design; has full cement basement and hot air furnace, with all modern improvements, including electric light. Outbuildings consist of barn, chicken house and woodshed. Price $7350

FINE RESIDENCE CLOSE TO TOWN

1½ ACRES, in garden, lawns and shade trees. Excellent 7-roomed dwelling, with every modern convenience, telephone, electric light, etc. In addition to this there is a woodshed, garage, and poultry houses. Price $6300

TWO ACRES GOOD SOIL; EXCELLENT HOUSE AND FURNITURE

A VERY CHARMINGLY SITUATED LITTLE PROPERTY ON MAIN WEST SAANICH PAVED ROAD, A FEW MINUTES FROM SCHOOL, STORE, ETC.; SITTING-ROOM, DINING-ROOM, THREE BEDROOMS, AND KITCHEN; BARN, CHICKEN HOUSE. NEW FENCING AND DRAINING. UNFAILING SPRING WELL. THIS PROPERTY MUST BE LOOKED OVER TO BE APPRECIATED $4500

WONDERFUL POULTRY OPPORTUNITY

21½ ACRES, all cleared and best of soil; bearing orchard. Buildings alone cost $13,500. Can be bought on terms $16,500

50 ACRES, close to Elk Lake. About 95 slashed and seeded down to wonderful stand of red clover $1750

TO PRAIRIE FARMERS

5 ACRES OF SPLENDID BLACK LOAM SOIL UNDER CULTIVATION AND FENCED. NO ROCK. CITY WATER, LIGHT AND PHONE QUITE CLOSE. GOOD WELL. NEWLY BUILT FIVE-ROOMED PLASTERED HOUSE. CEMENT BASEMENT, BARN FOR TEN HEAD, CHICKEN HOUSE FOR 100 BIRDS, GARAGE, ON AN EXCELLENT PAVED ROAD, TEN MINUTES FROM BEACH. TERMS $3000

EVER-RUNNING SPRING CREEK

5 ACRES, on main paved road, all cleared and fenced; 1 acre in bearing orchard, ½ acre in logans. A well built 5-roomed house, cement basement; chicken houses for 300 birds, brooder house, small cow stable, woodshed, root house. Electric light and phone ($2,750 down, 8%) $4750

75 ACRES, 8 MILES OUT ON PAVED ROAD; 25 acres black soil, in cultivation, balance in timber. Large barn, granary, dairy, etc. Per acre (terms) $75

PEMBERTON & SON
625 Fort Street Phone 388

FOR SALE BY OWNER—MODERN SIX-roomed dwelling, on 2½ acres, numerous outbuildings. Unexcelled location, main paved road, twenty miles from town. Unquestionably one of the best buys. Phone Colquitz 8L.

LANGFORD AND COLWOOD DISTRICT POULTRY FARMS, ACREAGE.

H. A. HINCKS
LANGFORD PHONE BELMONT 2

SHEEP FARM, 170 ACRES, ALL FENCED; 17 to 20 acres cultivated, balance available for rough pasture; small orchard. Dwelling, six rooms, modern sanitation. Excellent never-failing water supply, laid on to dwelling and outbuildings. Barn, eight head; roothouse, chicken house, sheep shed, garage, etc. On main Island Highway. Telephone. The owner, who is forced to sell on account of ill-health, has run seventy sheep, six milk cows, horses, etc., on this property. Price $8,000. Apply J. H. Whittome & Co., Limited, Duncan, B.C.

TWO GIFTS SANTA CLAUS OVERlooked. 5½ acres good land, $400; 10 acres good land, unfinished cottage, $1,200. Both in Saanich, on good roads, water easily procurable, plenty of firewood, and can be bought absolutely on your own terms. F. F. Higgs, 206 Pemberton Building.

$2,750—NORTH QUADRA, 2 1-3 ACRES, splendid land, all clear, poultry house cost over $1,100. Pullets and breeding stock can be bought too. Terms absolutely to suit. F. F. Higgs, 206 Pemberton Bldg.

5 ACRES ON GOOD SEA BEACH, ALL cleared, good soil. Orchard, 80 to 100 trees. Good water supply. Six-roomed modern house (room for three more bedrooms upstairs). Garage. Lighting plant. Chicken houses. Summer house and boathouse. Property all fenced, cross-fenced and drained. Good fishing and hunting. Price $7,500.

T. B. MONK & CO
Suite 11, Arcade Bldg., 613 View Street
Phone 1970

DUNCAN—A GENTLEMAN'S HOME FARM

50 ACRES; 35 cultivated, mostly in hay; 3 acres in orchard, balance good pasture, ideal for sheep. Modern barn carries 14 cows and shelter attached for 200 sheep, chicken houses for 1,000 birds, piggery, pumphouse and garage. Dwelling has 7 large rooms, modern 3-piece bathroom, two fireplaces. Water laid on all buildings. The approach is through an avenue of trees. Price includes stock as going concern. A genuine buy at $11,000.

CROSS & CO
Belmont House Opposite P.O.

82 ACREAGE FOR SALE (Continued)

4-ROOMED COTTAGE AT LANGFORD, on one acre, good soil, $1,800. Five-roomed house, furnished; four acres, stock included, $9,500. H. A. Hincks, Langford. Phone Belmont 2.

A GOOD BUY

50 ACRES, $45 AN ACRE, $600 CASH, balance arranged, eight miles from Victoria, on paved road, part timber; some good land, suitable for mixed farming, city conveniences available; low taxes; clear title. 35 acres, new five-room bungalow, for sale at very low figure, or might rent with option to purchase. Suitable for greenhouses, mixed farming; a retired man's home. A living can be made if necessary. Box 8918, Colonist.

$2500—TWO ACRES AT DEEP COVE. FRUITS, SMALL FRUITS. GOOD SOIL. WELL-BUILT BUNGALOW. FOUR ROOMS, BATHROOM AND PANTRY. LARGE VERANDA. OUTBUILDINGS. 50-FT. CHICKEN HOUSE. TERMS CAN BE ARRANGED. THIS PRICE IS CONSIDERABLY BELOW VALUE.

SPARLING
AT DEEP COVE TEL. SIDNEY 102Y

4½ ACRES, SAANICH, CLOSE IN. Real land, lovely view site; city water. BUILD YOUR OWN HOME. Folks, it's a SNAP, only $1,250.

2½ ACRES WATERFRONT, no rock, nicely treed and inside 9-mile circle. Price $1,250.

4 ACRES, ROYAL OAK. Bungalow and buildings. To close an estate, only $2,675.

BURDON & RODELL
1303 Douglas St., Bank of Nova Scotia Bldg.

85 FARMS FOR SALE

FOR SALE — 59-ACRE DAIRY FARM. Particulars Box H, Armstrong, B.C.

MIXED FARM, 8½ ACRES; 7 CLEARED. Six-room bungalow, city water, poultry houses, etc. Sacrifice, $4,500. H. Chambers, Metchosin.

OKANAGAN FRUIT FARM FOR SALE. Box 6705, Colonist.

300 ACRE FARM PROPERTY ON Shuswap River, 1½ miles from present hydro-electric development. Lumber. Bottom land. No irrigation. $3,500 down. Also six-roomed house and two acres at Vernon for sale, or might trade for Victoria property or timber. Full particulars from Owner, Box 248, Vernon, B.C.

$12,500—44 ACRES, WITH 30 ACRES OF excellent soil under cultivation, a mile of lovely seafront, 6-room bungalow and extensive farm buildings. One of the most beautiful homes and productive farms in the vicinity. Reasonable terms arranged. F. F. Higgs, 206 Pemberton Building.

$4250

6-ACRE CHICKEN, CHERRY AND SMALL FRUIT RANCH. Ten miles out on paved road. Comfortable cottage, good fowl houses, feedhouse, etc. You can take the place over, including stock, at this low figure.

VICTORIA REALTY CO.
618 View Street Phone 3036
"RELIABLE REALTORS"

86 FARMS FOR RENT

FARM FOR RENT. Telephone 170, or write Box 6836, Colonist.

$20 PER MONTH RENT—EIGHT-ROOM house, with six acres, good land, waterfront, at Albert Head. F. F. Higgs, 206 Pemberton Bldg.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
IN THE MATTER OF THE LOCAL GROCERY, SIDNEY

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims against the Local Grocery at Sidney carried on by William V. McKillican or Henry A. McKillican are required to send to the undersigned on or before the 31st day of January, 1928, a full statement of their claims and of any securities held by them, duly verified, and that after that date the Trustees will proceed to distribute the assets of the said business among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims particulars of which shall then have been sent or delivered to the undersigned.

And further take notice that all parties indebted to the said Local Grocery are required to pay such indebtedness to the undersigned.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 14th day of January, 1928.

GORDON A. CAMERON,
309 Union Bank Building,
Victoria, B.C.,
Solicitor for the Trustees on behalf of the Creditors.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, B.C.

Tenders for Supplies

Sealed tenders, endorsed "Tenders for Supplies" and addressed to the undersigned, will be received up to 4 p.m. on Monday, January 30, 1928, for the supplying of the following to the Corporation of the City of Victoria for the year 1928:

Milk
Bread
Fish
Wood
Coal
Cement
Sand and Gravel
Stationery
Printing

Specifications and particulars may be obtained at the office of the City Purchasing Agent. A cheque for 5% of the estimated amount of the contract, made payable to the City Treasurer, must accompany each tender. The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

E. S. MICHELL,
Purchasing Agent.
City Hall, Victoria, B.C.,
Jan 14, 1928.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session for an Act enabling and directing the neutral engineer appointed by the Corporation of the City of Victoria as a result of an action in the Supreme Court of British Columbia, wherein the Westholme Lumber Company, Limited, was plaintiff and said Corporation and others were defendants, to determine the matters submitted to him for decision by said Company and said Corporation.

Dated December, 1927.
W. J. TAYLOR, Solicitor for Applicant.

PRIVATE BILL NOTICES

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session by the Corporation of the City of Victoria for an Act (to be known as the "Victoria City Act, 1928"), providing for the following matters and giving to the said Corporation and the Municipal Council thereof the following powers, namely:—

1. Enabling the Council by by-law to authorize the regulation and inspection of electrical and other wiring, to levy and collect fees for cost of inspection and to require wiring permits to be obtained and payment of inspection fees made by contractors, owners or other persons before the commencement of wiring installation.

2. Repealing Subsections (1), (2) and (3) of Section 26 of "Victoria City Act, 1920," and providing for assessment and taxation of lands the tax at which is to the Corporation.

3. Providing that the Corporation shall not be liable to any person for forfeiture in respect of cancellation of Agreements for Sale of tax sale lands or the retainer of moneys paid to the Corporation under any such agreement.

4. Amending Section 17 of "Victoria City Act, 1922":—

(a) To provide for vesting in the Corporation of lands under fifteen-year plan therein referred to after twelve months' default in payments required to be made by the owner, and providing for sixty days' notice to all parties interested before such vesting shall become effective;

(b) To provide that lands under said fifteen-year plan that become vested in the Corporation shall be deemed to be lands that have been acquired by the Corporation by tax sale proceedings.

5. Amending Section 22 of "Victoria City Act, 1921," as enacted by Section 7 of "Victoria City Act, 1923," to provide on subdivision of land for the apportionment of assessment of improvements thereon.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., December, 1927.

E. S. PRINGLE,
City Solicitor

Footpad—"Your money or your life!"

Victim—"It's no go, stranger. My wife's in the same line of business at Christmas time, and she's just finished with me."

STOCK MARKET IS SELECTIVE

Week Brings Forward Number of Temporary Favorites — Some of the Leaders Sell Off

MONEY INCREASES IN CIRCULATION

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

TORONTO, Jan. 14.—Canadian markets this week have been more or less selective, bringing forward a number of temporary favorites, while some of the leaders, such as the bank stocks, have sold off slightly. Manitoba Power has had an active week, gaining about 10 points to 94. Page Hersey Tubes is up more than 10 points to 98. International Petroleum, another favorite, has sold up to 41 in active trading. Speaking generally, apart from one or two exceedingly active days, the markets have maintained their position, but little more, after having opened exceedingly strong the first week of the year.

Funds made available by spending from all branches of industry in Canada last year increased by $80,000,000 from $5,654,000,000 to $5,734,000,000, according to The Financial Post Year Book. This means a rise from $628 in $637 in per capita revenue from basic industry. Bank debits have increased from $2,915,000,000 to $4,150,000 during the past twelve months. Construction cost figures are up more than $25,000,000 to approximately $400,000,000. These facts are indicative of the very substantial increase in the volume of money made available for spending in Canada last year.

CANADIAN BANK STOCKS

The recent substantial increase in the volume of money in circulation just referred to reacts very favorably upon the business of the banks. Those banks which have already reported on their 1927 business show exceedingly better volume, but present indications are for a still better volume of business this year owing to the expansion now under way in virtually all lines of business. While the stocks of banks have been exceedingly active and price levels are much higher than a few months ago, there is every indication that very substantial appreciation may still be looked for and an investment list is not complete unless it includes some of the issues. We strongly recommend the purchase of Royal Bank at 345, yielding 4.05 per cent; Montreal at 344, yielding 4.07; Canadian Bank of Commerce at 283, yielding 4.59; and Bank of Nova Scotia at 384, yielding 4.17 per cent.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

Although net revenue of Canadian Pacific Railway for the past year showed a slight decrease, resulting from a decrease in freight rates on grain and some wage increases, gross revenue showed a substantial increase and the outlook for 1928 operations is exceedingly bright. In discussing the year's business Mr. Beatty, president, called attention to the very marked increase in traveling on the part of both Canadians and tourists. This is reflected both in the railway earnings proper and the earnings of the hotel system, steamships, etc., and additions now being made along with construction of new hotels which will increase earning power. Progress in the mining industry reacted very favorably on last year's figures and will continue to do so. We emphasize the desirability of accumulating this stock around present levels of 215, since the prospects of a much higher price have very strong support.

CANADIAN CANNERS

After absorbing about thirty canning and preserving establishments, Canadian Canners now controls ten subsidiaries, owns seventy-two factories and has established a position wherein it is able to show very handsome earnings from now on. The recent capital reorganization is advantageous both to the company and shareholders. Earnings per share this year, according to preliminary reports, have been much better than for any previous year. The common stock, which is being put on a six-for-one basis, is very attractive at levels for the new stock of around 30. We also recommend very strongly the accumulation of two new preferred issues, the six per cent cumulative preferred is now around 92 and the convertible second preferred approximately 23.

INTERNATIONAL PETROLEUM

Recent activity in this stock calls attention to its attractive features. The market is recognizing that the recent physical development of this Imperial Oil subsidiary holds out attractive prospects for the future. Oil from the Columbian fields can be delivered to refineries in the New York and Philadelphia area at about the same transportation costs as that produced in the mid-continent fields delivered through pipe lines. The location of Columbia and Peru make it possible for oil from these countries to compete advantageously, both as to grade and price, with oil production everywhere else in the world. We feel that this is an exceedingly attractive purchase around present levels of 42.

PAGE HERSEY TUBES

There is no definite explanation of the recent keen interest shown in this stock on the Montreal and Toronto markets. It is assumed in certain quarters that the company's bonds have either been fully retired or nearly so. The company's policy has been to reduce bonded indebtedness, and this suggests the expectation of an increased common stock dividend from $3 to $6 by $4. In any event the company has made steady progress and we do not hesitate to recommend the purchase of common stock around 98 as well as the seven per cent cumulative preferred at around 184.

GENERAL PUBLIC SERVICE

This company was organized for the purpose of holding and dealing in securities, particularly of public utility companies. Its assets consist in holdings in a widely diversified group of power and light utilities. The company's current income from interest and dividends is approximately $591,000, which leaves a margin of $225,000 over and above the requirements of dividends on both classes of preferred stock. The current income does not include profits from the sale of securities, which for the twelve months ending June 30 last was about $700,000. Earnings for the past year, including profits on the sale of securities, showed a balance available after dividends on preferred stock equivalent to $1.70 a share on the common. The company's prospects involve anticipated appreciation in the securities held as well as current yield. We consider that this stock has excellent prospects for steady appreciation from present levels of around 17.

NATIONAL DAIRY PRODUCTS

This company was organized through the merger of a number of companies engaged in the production of dairy products and similar lines. The company has enjoyed steady growth over a period of years. Earnings per share on the common stock outstanding have shown a healthy growth, being $9.01 in 1926 and $6.55 in 1923. Gross income for the company's subsidiaries in 1923 showed a gross income of $13,000,000. By 1926 this had increased to $34,000,000, with net earnings of $9,420,000. The present dividend of $3 is expected to be increased in the near future, and we consider this stock as a very desirable permanent investment.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, McDonald Pile Driving Company, Limited, will at the expiration of five weeks from the date hereof apply unto the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies, pursuant to the provisions of the Companies Act, for the approval of the change of the Company's name to Victoria Pile Driving Company, Limited.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 12th day of January, 1928.

McDONALD PILE DRIVING COMPANY, LIMITED.
Per D. V. McGary, Manager

TORONTO WEEKLY RANGE
(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

	High	Low	Close
Abitibi	141½	140	141
Alberta Pac.	58	52	55⅝
Alberta Pac. pfd	98	87	97
Amn. Sales Book	79	72	72¼
Arnold	18½	15½	15½
Asbestos	33	33	33
Atlantic Sugar	24	24	24
Bldg. Products	38	34	39
Bell Telephone	161	160	160
Brazilian	219	214½	215
B.C. Fish	117	110	116
B.C. Fish pfd	65	64	64½
Brompton	58	51¾	57
F. N. Burt	69	66½	67
C.P.R.	215	210	210
Can. Steamships pr	90½	90	90½
Canada Bread B	110	109	110
Can. Gen. Elec. pfd	93	62	62
Can. Oil	92	50	60½
Christie Brown	110	105	114
Con. Gas	196	197	197
Cosmos	94	23½	23½
Cosmos pfd	100	89	89
City Dairy (new)	53	50¾	52
Can. Canners	22¾	30½	30½
Can. Canners pfd	94	93	92
Davies A	43½	43	43
Davies B	20	20	30
Dominion Stores	108¼	107	107⅝
Dul. Sul.	21	30	20
Eastern Prod	27	29	29
Eastern Theatre pfd	95	95	95
Famous Players	49½	49½	49½
Famous Players pfd	104	103	103½
Goodyear pfd	105	104¼	105
Hamilton Dairys pfd	102½	102½	102½
Hayes W	31½	39	30
Hayes W. pfd	100	100	100
Hunts	46	46	46
Ind. Alcohol	37½	38½	37
Int. Util A	50	49	49½
Int. Util B	10½	9½	9½
Kelvinator pfd	99	66	66
Toblaw	100	98	99½
Toblaw pfd	160	146	156
Mackay	118	116	118
Mackay pfd	69½	69½	99½
Massey Harris pfd	100	105½	109
McKinnon	29½	28½	29½
Muirheads	15	14¼	14¼
Muirheads pfd	41¾	41	41½
Pac. Burt	123½	123	122
Page Hersey	98	86½	97½
Page Hersey pfd	190	174	174
Rogers pfd	101	101	101
Seagrams	26¾	25	25
Shredded W	73½	69	72½
Staffords	25	34½	25
Stanfords 1st pfd	95	94	95
Steel Canada	185½	183	185
Steel Canada pfd	179	179	179
Twin City	50½	50	50
W.C. Flour	48	38½	47½
W.C. Flour pfd	108	105½	103¼
Zimmerknit	25½	23	25
Zimmerknit pfd	93	92	92½
BANKS			
Commerce	285	279	284½
Dominion	283	263	263
Imperial	250	245	248
Montreal	347	340	345½
Nova Scotia	267	387	987
Royal	950	345	347
Standard	250	245	249
Toronto	294	282½	292
UNLISTED			
Beacon Oil	17½	18½	16¾
B.A. Oil	40	38	39½
Imp. Tob	9¾	8½	9¾
Int. Pete	42¾	37	43
Imp. Oil	65	59	63¾
Montreal Power	99¾	99¼	99¾
Nor. Bakeries	48	44	45½
Price Bros	78¾	78¾	78¾
Power Corpn.	72	71	71¼
Can. Cement	92½	31	31¾
Can. Malt	97	39	37
Carling Brew	99	95	98
Can. Brew	39	95	35
Cockshutt P	111	107	110
Farmers Dairy	26	24¼	25½
Goodyear Tire	159	148½	152
Photo Engra	40	36	37
Walkers	68	98	66¼
STANDARD STOCK AND MINING			
Aconda	97	29	31
Ajax Oil	90	67	69
Amulet	500	470	479
Algonquin	3	2¼	9¾
Apex	8½	7¾	7¾
Area	91½	23	29
Argo Con	91¾	99½	27
Atlas	4½	4	4½
Baldwin	9	2¾	2¾
Barry Holly	119	102	106
Beaver	215	204	207
Bidgood	130	98	106
Buckingham	9¾	9¼	5¼
Clericy	29	25	28
Can. Lor	15	15	15
Capitol	18½	18	18
Castle Treth	78	75	79
Chapul Hughes	15	13½	13½
Col. Kirk	9	7¾	7½
Corona	12½	13	12¾
Crown Res.	68	90	61
Coniagas	489	480	480
Dome Mines	1335	1285	1285
Dom. Kirk	8	8½	8¾
Duprat	10	9	8½
Everett	2¾	2½	2½
Goodfish	75	63	95
Goldale	43	41½	42
Gold Reef	1½	1½	1½
Grover Daly	12½	10¼	10½
Granada R	38	30	30
Gold Hill	37¾	38½	9½
Howey Gold	181	165	172
Hollinger	1800	1780	1780
Hill Top	93½	20	20
Ind. Mines	9½	7	7½
Keeley	70	95	70
Keora	8	5	8
Kirk Hunt	23	20	20
Kirk Lake	261	240	250
Kootenay Florence	87	29½	23
Lake Shore	2690	2570	2575
Larose	5	9	9
Laval Quebec	28½	20	24½
Lebel Ore	54½	47	54
McDougall	54	47	92½
Macassa	51	48½	49
Malartic	78	72	73¼
Marriott	46	43	43
McIntyre	2785	2700	2700
McKinley Dar	19	18½	18½
Millcreat	10½	10	10
Mining Corpn.	460	405	445
Moneta	12	12	12
Newbec	60½	52	52
Night Hawk	10	8½	9
Nipissing	570	540	955
Pawnee	79	71	71
Pete Cobalt	14½	10¼	12½
Pioneer	97	52	93
Potter Doal	18	16	17
Premier	249	235	240
Preston	3	9	8
Realty Mines	16	13	15
Ribago	22½	21	32
Stadacona	19¾	17	17
St. Antony	84	36	36
Teck Hughes	1036	980	990
Tough Oakes	75	69	69¾
Treadwell Yukon	2620	2515	2400
Vac. Gas	12	12	12
Vipond	78	66	66
Windfall	22½	21	21½
West Dome G	18½	14	14
Wakenda	9¾	9	8½

STANDARD UNLISTED

Wright	606	570	570
Amity	48½	38	37
Bedford	44	98½	98½
Boischatel	5	4½	4½
Cap. Rouyn	16½	13½	14
Central Man.	194	169	178
Abana	370	305	330
Fed. Kirkland	73	71	71
Cambro	53	50	51
Jackson Man	85	79	84
Noranda	2330	2170	2200
Oatsko	64	46	48
Sudbury Basin	1485	1935	1345
Towagamac	400	375	378
Vickers	98	95	95

MONTREAL WEEKLY STOCKS
(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

	High	Low
Abitibi Power	146½	140½
Alberta Pacific Grain	59	55
Alberta Pacific Grain pfd.	98	87
Asbestos	34½	33
Asbestos pfd	94	92½
Atlantic Sugar	24½	24
Bell Telephone	161	157
Brazilian Traction	219½	215
B.C. Fish	12½	10
Brompton	59	51
Canada Bronze	78½	68
Canada Bronze pfd	110¼	109½
Can. Car & Fdy	49	47
Can. Car & Fdy pfd	92¾	92¼
Can. Ind. Alcohol	37¾	36¼
Can. Steamships	35	34¼
Can. Steamships pfd	90	89½
Can Cottons	140	140
Can Cottons pfd	100½	100
Cons. Mining & Smelting	257	251
Ourd	87	93½
Dominion Bridge	74½	71
Dominion Glass	134½	128
Dominion Glass pfd	130	120
Howard Smith	83	71
Howard Smith pfd	[illegible]	115
Intl Nickel	[illegible]	87½
Lake of the Woods	170	169
Laurentide	127	117
Lyall Construction Co	47	47
Massey-Harris	44	40¼
Massey-Harris pfd	109¼	109
National Breweries	118¼	112½
National Breweries pfd	124½	123
Ogilvie Milling	425	410
Ottawa Power	134	134
Ottawa Traction	68	64
Penmans	102	100½
Price Bros.	81	79
Price Bros pfd	104	109
Power Corpn.	74	70½
Quebec Power	90	87¼
Shawinigan Power	90	88
Sherwin Williams	180	180
Spanish River	143	135
Spanish River pfd	146½	140
St. Lawrence Flour Mills	42½	41
St. Maurice Power	90	73½
St Maurice Power pfd.	103	101½
Steel of Canada	185	183
Wayagamac	115	106
Western Grocer	20	19
Winnipeg Electric	99½	88
Winnipeg Electric pfd.	109	108
Canadienne	188½	188
Bank of Commerce	284½	279
Bank of Montreal	345½	343
Bank of Nova Scotia	383	385
Royal Bank	951	345

MONTREAL WEEKLY CURB

	High	Low
Attendu	13	12
Asch, Ltd	30	29½
B. A. Oil	40	98⅞
Brewing & Dist	17½	18¾
Can. Nth. Power	50	50
Can. Cement	93½	31
Can. Cement pfd	98	97¾
Com. Alcohol	93½	30
Cosgrave	9	9½
Dominion Stores, Ltd.	108	108
Dryden Paper	37	33½
Dom. Eng. Works	65	53
Frontenac Oil	34	82
Hiram Walker	69	66
Intl. Pete	43	38½
Imperial Tobacco	9½	9½
Intl. Utilities "A"	49½	48
Intl. Utilities "B"	10½	8¼
Manitoba Power	86	83
Nat. Distilleries	21	19¾
Natl. Steel Car	43¾	41½
Paige Hersey	96½	86
Seagram	28¾	24
St. Lawrence Paper	101	100
St. Maurice Power	174	172
United Securities	64½	64½
United Securities pfd.	105	104

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OTTAWA, Jan. 14.—Notice of incorporation of Flin Flon Mines Limited with a capital stock of $25,000,000 divided into 250,000 shares of $100 each, appears in the current issue of The Canada Gazette. The chief place of business of the company is given as Toronto.

CASH GRAINS

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

WINNIPEG, Jan. 14.—Cash Close Wheat—1 Nor., 144½; 2 Nor., 137¾; 3 Nor., 122¾; No. 4, 112½; No. 5, 98½; feed, 82½; track, 136¼; 1 Dur., 103¾; 2 Dur., 101¼; 3 Dur., 97¼; No. 4, 117¼.

Oats—2 C.W., 62¼; 3 C.W., 58¼; 1 feed, 53¾; 2 feed, 53½; rejected, 52¾; track, 61¼; 3 C.W., 83¼; 4 C.W., 80¾; rejected, 79¼; feed, 78¾; track, 83¼.

Flax—1 N.W.C., 184; 2 C.W., 180; 3 C.W., 163; rejected, 159; track, 184.
Rye—1 C.W., 102¼; track, 102½.

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U.S. Tax Reduction

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Secretary Mellon declared here today that if Congress reduced taxes below the $225,000,000 recommended by the Treasury, higher tax rates might have to be voted soon to meet Government expenses, with a consequent harmful effect on business.

Addressing the Women's National Republican Club, the secretary said that while it might be good business to lower taxes, "it most assuredly would not help matters to be obliged to raise them."

MONEY MARKETS

LONDON, Jan. 14.—Money, 2¾ per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 4 5-16 per cent; three months' bills, 4¼ @ 4 5-16 per cent.

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Finance and Commerce

MANY STOCKS SELL LOWER

PRONOUNCED REACTIONARY TENDENCIES DEVELOP—EARLY GAINS LOST

Milwaukee Railway and Dominion Steel Bonds Spurt Upward—Others Mark Time

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Pronounced reactionary price tendencies developed in today's stock market. Late short selling, combined with the usual week-end realizing, wiped out most of the early gains and sent a number of issues one to seven points below yesterday's final quotations.

Radio Corporation opened 1 3-4 points higher on buying presumably influenced by the showing of the new television radio device, but it lost the gain and closed two points net lower at 100 3-4. United States Steel common opened fractionally higher at 158 1-2, then sold down to 146, off 2 1-4 points net. General Motors closed 2 1-4 points lower at 132, and Hudson, Hupp and Studebaker yielded a point or more. Wyllis-Overland turned upward just before the close, but the net gain was fractional.

Green Cananea Copper broke seven points to 135 1-2, and rallied 1. United States Cast Iron Pipe dropped from an early high of 222 1-4 to 215 and rallied to 217. Case Threshing slumped 6 1-2 points to 238.

Baldwin, Equitable Office Building common, and Midland Steel Products preferred all sold off four points or so.

Sterling cables were quoted around $4.87 27-32.

The long list of bonds of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad spurted upwards. The remainder of the list continued to mark time.

Erie 7's were offered in considerable amounts, but were supported a small fraction under the last closing price. Seaboard All-Florida B 6's also sagged slightly.

Dominion Iron & Steel certificate 5's again spurted upward, reaching 98 1-2 for the first time in a year or more.

Columbia Gas 5's reached new peak territory on a small turnover, but other public utilities were dull and featureless.

(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
Allis Chalmers	117-4	117-4	117-4
Allied Chem.	156-2	152-4	153-4
Amerada Corpn.	32-2	32-2	32-2
Am. Can.	74-1	72-2	72-6
Am. Car & Fdy	106-6	106-6	106-6
Am. For Power	23-1	23-1	23-1
Am. Locomotive	111-6	111	111
Am. Smelters	176-5	175-7	175-7
Am. Steel Fdy	68-7	67-1	67-1
Am. Sugar	78	76	76
Am. Tel & Tel.	178-6	178-6	178-6
Am. Tobacco	172	172	172
Am. Tobacco B	172-1	172-1	172-1
Am. Woolens	23-4	23	23-2
Anaconda	57	56-1	56-1
Armour A	12	11-6	11-7
Atlantic Gulf	42	41	41
Atlantic Refinery	107-6	107	107
Atchison	193-4	192	192
Baldwin Loco	252	252	252
Baltimore & Ohio	116-2	116	116
Bangor & Ar'stk	80	78-4	79-4
Bethlehem Steel	57-7	57	57-2
Brooklyn Manhat	55-2	55	55
California Packing	78	78	78
California Pete	26-2	25-6	26
Calumet & Ariz	107-4	105	105
Canadian Pacific	210	208-4	208-5
Cerro De Pasco	47-7	47-1	47-2
Chesapeake & Ohio	202-4	202-2	202-4
Chile Copper	41-7	41	41
Chic. Gt. Western	12-6	12-2	12-6
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	19-3	18-2	18-2
Chic. & Northwest	86-2	86	86
Chic., R.I. & Pac.	110-4	109-1	109-1
Chrysler Motor	58	57-2	57-3
Coca Cola	138	134-7	136
Colo. Fuel & Iron	60	78	80
Columbia Gas	91-4	91-4	91-4
Cons. Gas	122-2	122-2	122-2
Cont. Motor	10-7	10-6	10-6
Corn Products	69-7	69-1	69-1
Crucible Steel	87-1	86-6	87-1
Dodge Bros.	21	20-4	20-4
Dodge Bros. pfd	71-7	71-5	71-5
Dupont Powder	318-2	314	315
Eastman Kodak	165	165	165
Eaton Axle	27-6	27	27
Elec. Power	21-3	20-4	20-4
Elec. Refrigerator	11-7	11-5	11-5
Erie	64	62-5	62-5
Famous Players	116	114	114-2
Foundation Co	45-2	45-2	45-2
Fox Film "A"	84-7	83-6	84-2
Fleischmann Co.	70-1	69-5	69-5
Freeport, Texas	105-6	104-2	104-2
Gabriel Snubbers	25-4	25-4	25-4
General Am. Tank	63	62	62
General Asphalt	92-2	88-2	89-2
General Cigar	82	81-4	81-4
General Electric	134-6	132-6	132-6
General Motors	134-4	131-5	132-1
General Ry. Signal	120	118-5	120
Gold Dust	74-2	74-2	74-2
Goodrich Rubber	90-7	90-1	90-1
Granby	41-2	41-2	41-3
Great North. Ore	23	22-6	22-6
Great North. pfd	95-5	85-5	85-5
Gt. West Sugar	37-1	37	37
Gulf States Steel	51-5	51-1	51-1
Houston Oil	152-4	148	151
Howe Sound	43-4	42-7	42-7
Hudson Motor	78-4	78-2	78-2
Hupp Motors	21-7	20	20
Illinois Central	133-7	133-6	133-6
Imperial Oil	64-5	64-4	64-4
Inspiration	18-4	19-4	19-4
Int. Comb. Eng.	53	50-7	50-7
Int. Harvester	243	242	243
Int. Match pfd.	103-4	101-7	101-7
Int. Pete	43-1	42-1	42-1
Int. Mer. Mar. pfd	42-5	41-2	41-2
Int. Nickel	94-7	93	93-6
Int. Tel. & Tel.	146-2	146-2	146-2
Johns Manv.	117-7	117-7	117-7
Kan. City South	61-2	60-5	60-5
Kennecott Copper	84-2	83-4	83-4
Lehigh Valley	37-6	95	85
Louis & Nash.	154-2	153-4	153-4
Mack Truck	102	100-7	100-7
Manhattan Elec.	51-4	51-4	51-4
Marland Oil	37-4	27	27-1
Marlin-Rockwell	51-7	50-3	50-5
Mid. Cont'nt Pete	29-2	29	29-1
Miss. Pacific	52-2	51	51
Montana Power	105-7	103-4	103-4
Montgomery Ward	124-3	121-3	121-5
Motor Wheel	26-4	26-4	26-4
Nash Motors	93-2	92-1	92-1
National Biscuit	189-2	189-2	189-2
Natl. Cash Reg.	48-2	48	48
N.Y. Air Brake	45-4	45-4	45-4
Norfolk & West.	187	186	186
North American	62	61-5	61-5
Northern Pacific	96-5	96	96-6
N.Y. Central	162-6	161-4	161-4
N.Y., N.H. & Hart.	63-7	62	62
N.Y., Ont. & West.	30-3	30-3	30-3
Packard Motor	59-3	58-6	58-6
Pan American B	44-7	44-2	44-2
Pennsylvania R.R.	65	64-7	65
Pere Marquette	121	121	121
Phillips Pete	43-4	43	43
Pierce Arrow	13-2	13-1	13-1
Producers & Ref.	25-3	25-3	25-3
Pullman Co.	82-6	82-6	82-6
Radio	104-4	98-6	100-2
Reading	102-7	102-4	102-4
Royal Dutch	48-3	48-3	48-3
Schultz	51-2	51	51
Shattuck Denn.	8-1	7-3	7-3
Sears Roebuck	85-1	84-3	84-3
Shell Union	26-6	26-2	26-2
Sinclair Cons.	21-1	21-1	21-1
Southern Pacific	121-3	121	121-3
Southern Railway	143-7	143-2	143-4
Standard Milling	104	104	104
Standard Gas	59-2	58-6	58-6
Standard Oil, Cal.	56-5	56-1	56-1
Standard Oil, N.J.	40-2	40	40-2
Standard Oil, N.Y.	31-2	31	31
Stewart Warner	82-6	82	82-6
St. Louis & S. Fran.	114-6	114	114
Studebaker	59-1	57-5	57-5
Tennessee Copper	10-6	10-6	10-6
Texas Co.	55-1	54-4	54-4
Texas Gulf Sulphur	77	76-2	76-2
Texas Pacific R.R.	109-6	109-4	109-6
Texas Pac. C. & O.	17	16-4	16-4
Timken Roller	130	128-4	129-1
Tobacco Prod.	110-2	109	109
Union Oil of Cal.	45	45	45
Union Pacific	189-6	189-6	189-6
U.S. Cast I. Pipe	222-2	215	217
U.S. Ind. Alco.	106-6	106-4	106-4
U.S. Rubber	62-1	60	60-3
U.S. Steel	148-4	146	148
Underwood Typ.	68	68	68
Universal Pipe	24-2	24-2	24-2
Vanadium	63-6	62-5	62-5
Victor Talk. Mach.	57-1	56	56
Wabash	86-7	86-4	86-7
Westing. Air Brake	51-4	51	51-3
Westing. Elec.	92-1	91-3	92
White Motor	37-7	37-7	37-7
Willys-Overland	19	18-2	19
Woolworth	185-1	183-1	183-1
Wright Aer. Cpn.	81-7	79-4	79-4
Yale Towne	75	75	75
Y'gstn Sh. & Tu.	98-7	98-3	98-3
Yel. Trk & Coach	24-7	24	24
Greene Cananea	143-2	135-4	136-6
Natl. Dry. Prod	72	71	71-2

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Foreign exchanges steady

France—3.93⅝; cables 3.93⅝.
Italy—5.28⅝; cables 5.29⅝.
Belgium—13.94.
Germany—23.80.
Holland—40.29.
Norway—26.59.
Sweden—26.83⅝.
Denmark—26.79⅛.
Switzerland—19.26⅛.
Spain—17.10.
Greece—1.33.
Poland—1125.
Austria—1410.
Rumania—62.
Argentina—42.80.
Brazil—12.00.
Tokio—48.88.
Shanghai—46.25.
Montreal—99.81⅛.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Demand 487 7-16, cables 487 27-32; sixty-day bills on banks 483⅝.

AT VICTORIA

Buying 488⅝; selling 489⅝.

Chicago Grain

(Supplied by B.C. Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—The wheat market started higher in sympathy with Liverpool. Offerings were limited and prices advanced on buying largely by locals. Near end of the session commission houses who usually act for the Northwest were fair sellers and prices declined around 1¼ cents from outside figure. Export demand was slow and no sales of consequence reported. A fairly liberal decrease is expected in visible supply Monday. Believe prices will work lower.

Corn, firmer early, but turned weak later and declined around one cent from previous close on selling induced by increased country offerings to arrive and on forecast for colder weather which is expected to accelerate the movement. Reports of a good export demand with sme business worked, attracted little attention. Believe it will be hard to maintain present price level for corn.

(Supplied by B.C. Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
March	129⅝	130	128⅞	129⅛
May	130⅞	121¼	129⅞	130⅛
July	127	127⅛	125⅞	126⅛
Corn—				
March	90¼	90¼	88⅝	88⅝
May	92½	92⅝	91¼	91⅝
July	94⅛	94⅛	93	92½
Oats—				
March	54⅝	54⅝	54	54¼
May	55⅝	56	55¼	55½
July	52⅝	52	52⅛	42¼
Rye—				
March	109	109⅛	108⅝	106⅝
May	109½	109⅛	108⅝	109

VICTORY AND WAR LOANS

VICTORY LOAN, 5½%—TAX FREE

Interest due—	Buy	Sell
1933, 1st May & Nov.	106.30	106.55
1937, 1st June & Dec.	110.60	111.05

WAR LOAN, 5%—TAX FREE

1931, 1st Apr. & Oct.	102.40	102.65
1937, 1st Mar. & Sept.	106.40	106.65

(Payable New York)

VICTORY LOAN, 5½%

1922, 1st May & Nov.	104.20	104.45
1934, 1st May & Nov.	105.45	105.70

DOMINION LOAN

1938, 15th Apr. & Oct., 5%	100.50	100.75
1942, 15th Apr. & Oct., 5%	105.70	105.95
1940, 1st Mar. & Sept., 4½%	102.40	102.65
1944, 15th Apr. & Oct., 4½%	102.60	102.85
1948, 1st Feb. & Aug., 4½%	102.65	102.90
1954, 1st Feb. & Aug. (C.N.R.), 5%	Mkt.	
1957, 1st Jan. & July (C.N.R.), 4½%	Mkt.	

Add accrued interest to date.

1937, 44 days, .683 per $100.
1932, 1933, 1934, 74 days, 1.118 per $100.
1928, 1943, 81 days, 1.347 per $100.
1944, 91 days, 1.121 per $100.
1946, 166 days, 2.046 per $100.

Brokerage rate on Victory and War Loans ⅛ of 1%

FOREIGN BONDS

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Argentine 6's, 1957	100⅛	100⅝
Austrian 7's, 1942	103⅝	103⅞
Belgium 7's, 1955	107	107¼
Chile 6's, 1960	92⅝	93⅝
French 7's, 1949	106⅝	106⅞
French 7½'s, 1941	118	116¼
French 8's, 1945	110⅛	110⅝
German 7's, 1949	107⅛	107⅝
Italy 7's, 1951	99	99⅛

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, Jan. 14.—Wheat quotations

	Spot	En route
No. 1 Northern	148⅝	148⅝
No. 2 Northern	146⅛	146⅛
No. 3 Northern	127⅝	127⅝
No. 4 wheat	118⅛	117⅝
No. 5 wheat	105⅛	105⅛
No. 6 wheat	95⅛	95⅛
Feed	81⅛	91⅛

SILVER MARKETS

LONDON, Jan. 14.—Bar silver, 26⅛d per ounce.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Bar silver, 57⅞; Mexican dollars, 44.

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SHARP DECLINE IN EGG PRICES

A DROP OF FIVE CENTS TO SEVEN CENTS IS EVIDENT

Rhubarb and Cyclamen Are Two Other Features at the City Market Yesterday

There was a fairly good attendance at the Victoria Public Market yesterday morning. The supplies generally were not over abundant and trading was at times quite brisk. There were a few important changes recorded in the price list.

The features of the market were the sharp declines in egg quotations and the first offering of local rhubarb, a hothouse product of fair girth and very good color, which retailed at 20 cents per pound.

EGGS SHOW DECREASE

Egg prices are 10 cents below the market and according to poultry dealers, they are the lowest quotations for the past two years. Prices have been changing rapidly of late owing to the demoralized condition of the egg market in the East. The Eastern wholesalers refuse to set a price on them and are sending orders for large consignments. The local farmers are shipping eggs as far east as Ottawa and Toronto to the wholesalers and brokers. The prices set were 5 to 7 cents below last week's, specials being 45 cents; extras, 40 cents or two dozen for 75 cents; firsts, 38 cents; pullet extras, 33 cents or two dozen for 65 cents; pee wees were off the market. Poultry prices showed no changes from last week, and were as follows: Boiling fowl, 30 to 35 cents a pound; chickens, 40 to 45 cents; turkeys, 55 cents; geese, 40 cents; ducks, 40 cents per pound. Hot tamales were selling at 20 cents apiece.

CYCLAMEN IN EVIDENCE

The floral display, though not large, was good, and several varieties of cyclamen in full bloom gave the market a regular garden appearance. The prices for the cyclamen ranged from 25 cents to $2.50. Paper-like tuberosa took the honors for cut flowers and were selling at 20 cents apiece. Jerusalem cherries and primulas were marked 50 to 75 cents respectively. Ferns, all sizes, were disposed of at prices from 50 to 60 cents a plant. Springerie, a large potted plant, were selling at 75 cents each.

The only changes in the vegetable section were a slight drop in celery and Brussels sprouts.

Fresh black and ling cod and herring were the feature of the fish market. The fruit and meat sections showed no important changes since last week.

At many tables miscellaneous articles offered a wide range, not only in foodstuffs, but fancywork and stable apparel, almost everything suggested by "domestic science."

Victoria Stock Exchange

MINING

	Bid	Asked
Dunwell Mines	.20	..
Glacier Creek	.04½	.07½
Gladstone	..	.20
Goldsmith	.09	.11
Granby	29.00	..
Howe Sound	41.00	..
Independence Gold	..	.15
Indian Mines	.05½	.10
International Coal	.26	.30
L. & L. Glacier	..	.18
Lakeview	.05½	.06
Leadsmith	.06	.09
Lucky Jim	..	40
Marmot Metals	.19	.15
National Silver, G. S.	.19	.22
Porter Idaho	..	42
Premier Gold	2.32	2.40
Richmond	.20	.22
Rufus	.23	.27
Ruth Hope	..	.80
Selkirks	.04½	.06
Silverado	1.10	..
Silvercrest	.08	.11
Silversmith	.25	.30
Sunloch	1.75	1.95
Terminus	..	.21
Coast Copr. (seller 60)	..	50.00
Coast Copr. (buyer 60)	50.00	..

MISCELLANEOUS

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Telephone	105.50	..
B.C. Elec. P. & G.	106.00	..
Caufield Stocker	..	14.00
Sidney Roofing	100.00	103.00
Malaspina	..	.13
Slocan King	.16	.17

LOCAL CURB STOCKS

	Bid	Asked
George Copper	3.10	..
George Copr. (buyer 60)	3.25	..
Golconda	.61	.66
Argenta	..	.30
Whitewater	2.08	..
Pend Oreille	4.80	..

SALES

2,000 Lakeview at .05; 4,000 at .04½; 2,000 at .04½; 1,000 at .05; 500 at .05; 1,000 Marmot at .11; 500 Porter Idaho at .41½; 500 Richmond at .22; 1,000 Rufus at .27; 500 at .25; 1,000 Selkirks at .04½; 5,000 at .04½; 5,000 at .05; 3,000 at .05; 5,000 at .05; 100 Silverado at 1.00; 100 at 1.00; 2,000 Silvercrest at .08; 2,000 at .08; 1,000 Silversmith at .27; 140 at .25; 200 Sunloch at 1.85; 25 Caufield at 14.00; 500 Golconda at .61; 500 at .62; 500 at .65; 2,500 at .65; 100 at .63; 800 at .65; 1,000 Argenta at .27; 1,000 Malaspina at .10; 270 Dunwell at .20; 500 Glacier C. at .04½; 100 George at 3.00; 15 at 3.05; 50 at 3.05; 200 at 3.10; 100 at 3.10; 100 at 3.10; 200 at 3.10.

MONTREAL STOCKS

(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
Abitibi	145	144-6	144-8
Asbestos	34	32	32
Asbestos pfd.	93	91-8	91-6
Atlantic Sugar	24	22	24
Bell Telephone	160	160	160
Brazilian Trac.	218	215	215
B.C. Fish. & Pack.	10-4	10-4	10-4
Brompton Paper	58-6	58	58-6
Can. Cement com.	31-7	31-7	31-7
Can. Car Fdy. com.	48-1	48-1	48-1
Can. Car Fdy. pfd.	93-4	93-4	93-4
Can. S.S. com.	34-6	34-6	34-6
Can. S.S. pfd.	90	90	90
Can. Cottons	115	115	115
Can. Converters	161-4	161-4	161-4
Can. Ind. Alcohol	37	36	36
Cons. M. & S.	264	258	260-4
Dominion Bridge	74-4	73-5	73-5
Dominion Glass	131	131	131
Dominion Textile	131	131	131
Imp. Tobacco	9-7	8-7	9-7
Howard Smith	87	83	83
Lake of Woods Mlg.	170	170	170
Laurentide Co.	127-7	124	127-7
Massey Harris	44	43-2	43-2
Montreal Power	90	89	89
National Breweries	115	113-4	115
Ogilvie Mlg. Co.	425	425	425
Ottawa Power	134	124	134
Penmans, Ltd.	103-4	103-4	103-4
Shawinigan	90	89-4	89-6
Spanish River Pulp	140	140	140
Steel of Canada	182	182	182
Winnipeg Elec.	104-4	104-4	104-4

"Do you think autos are ruining the younger generation?"

"No, I think the younger generation is ruining the autos."

Winnipeg Grain Letter

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

WINNIPEG, Jan. 14.—Wheat: The wheat market again displayed a firm tone with early prices advancing ¾ cent above yesterday's close and holding steady at fractionally below the high point. Trade volume was quite small, the feature being the very light offerings.

Continental houses again took small lots of October wheat, while locals were selling October and buying May and July, while there was light selling of July against purchases of Chicago July at the board difference. The market eased off near the close, offerings becoming a little more liberal and the pool was credited with selling a little wheat. In the cash market it was said there was a little export business overnight. Mills were moderate buyers of certain grades, but all offerings were very light. Spreads on three and four, straight and tough grades were ¼ cent better, other grades all unchanged. The farmers of Western Canada, up to Friday night, however, marketed 303,278,086 bushels of wheat this season, as compared with 280,044,468 for the same period a year ago.

The weather has turned very cold again in the West after a week's mild spell, and this will likely check movement from farms. Should the cold spell work south, damage reports from Winter wheat territory are likely to be increased, as the snow covering is said to have disappeared. We do not see very much in the situation at present to carry prices very far in either direction, but suggest purchases on fair recessions. Winnipeg futures closed unchanged.

Coarse Grains: There was a fair class of buying of both oats and barley, export business in both grains being reported, while there was also a fair domestic demand for oats. On any upturns there appeared to be plenty of both oats and barley for sale, the markets finally closing about unchanged. Rye was neglected, closing ⅝ cent lower to ⅛ higher.

Flax: This market appears to have few friends and buying orders are very scarce. However, there was no pressure on the market, and prices held firm in sympathy with other commodities, closing unchanged to ¼ up.

FUTURES

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
July	134⅛	136⅝	135⅝	136
May	135½	136⅞	136	136¼
Oct	128⅝	128⅝	128	128
Oats—				
July	62	63¼	62⅝	63⅝
May	64¼	64⅝	64¼	64⅝
Oct	56½	56⅝	55⅝	56⅝
Rye—				
May	108½	108½	107⅝	107⅝
Oct	98½	98½	98⅛	98⅛
Barley—				
July	86	86½	86	86
May	88½	88⅝	88½	88¼
Oct	78	78	75⅛	75⅛
Flax—				
July	192⅝	194	193⅝	194
May	190⅝	191⅝	180⅝	181

CASH GRAINS

Wheat—1 N., 144¼; 2 N., 137⅝; 3 N., 122⅝; No. 4, 112½; No. 5, 98; feed, 82⅝; track, 136¼; 1 Dur., 103¼; 2 Dur., 101⅛; 3 Dur., 97⅛; No. 4, 117¼.

Oats—2 C.W., 62¼ 3 C.W., 58¼; extra 1 feed, 59¼; 1 feed, 55⅝; 2 feed, 53½; rejected, 52¼; track, 61¼.

Barley—3 C.W., 83¼; 4 C.W., 80⅝; rejected, 79⅝; feed, 78⅝; track, 83⅛.

Flax—1 N.W.C., 184; 2 C.W., 180; 3 C.W., 163; rejected, 159; track, 184.

Rye—1 C.W., 102¼; track, 102⅛.

TORONTO MINES

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	Bid	Asked
Aconda	.22	..
Amulet	4.75	..
Area	.26	..
Arconaut	.27	..
Baldwin	.02½	.03
Barry Hollinger	1.06	..
Bidgood	1.05	1.06
Buckingham	.05½	.06
Capital	.17½	..
Chaput	.18½	..
Corona	.13	..
Conlagas	4.80	..
Dome	12.80	..
D. Kirkland	.06	..
Goldale	.42½	..
Goldhill	.35	..
Grover Daly	.11	..
Granada Rouyn	.90	..
Kirkland Lake	2.50	..
Laval Quebec	.24½	..
Malartic Mines	.72	..
Macassa	.50	..
McIntire	27.00	..
Mining Corpn.	4.45	..
Potter Dalton	.17½	..
Premier	2.33	..
St. Anthony	.38	.38
Teck Hughes	9.80	..
Tough Oakes	.70	..
Wasapi	.65	..
Vickers	1.00	..
Wright Hargreaves	5.70	..
Capital Rouyn	.15½	..
Central Man. Mining	1.78	..
Jackson Manning	.85	..
McDougall Mines	.52	..
Noranda	22.00	..
Osisko	.48	..
Treadwell Yukon	28.00	..
Reality & M.	.18	..
Howey	1.70	..
Pioneer	84½	..

VANCOUVER EXCHANGE

VANCOUVER, Jan. 14.—Today's quotations on the Vancouver Stock Exchange were:

	Bid	Asked
Bayview	.07½	.07¾
Big Missouri	.40½	.41
Cork Province	.25¾	.27
Dunwell	.31	.32
George Copper	3.20	3.25
Glacier	.05¼	.05½
Gladstone	.15	.18
Independence	.12¾	.13¼
Indian Mines	.08	.08¾
International Coal	..	.28
Kootenay F.	.22¼	..
Slocan	.16	.17
Whitewater	2.08	2.09
Pend Oreille	4.85	..
L. & L.	..	.18
Lakeview	.03¼	.03½
Lucky Jim	.38	.40
Leadsmith	.08¾	.08¾
Marmot	.11	.12
Premier	2.33	2.34
Porter-Idaho	.38	.40
Rufus	.25	.26
Ruth Hope	.44	.45
Richmond	.21	.22
Selkirks	.04¾	.04½
Silver Crest	.07¾	..
Silversmith	.26¾	.27½
Sunloch	1.78	1.80

SALES

200 Pend Oreille at 5.00; 100 at 5.05; 160 at 5.10; 1,000 at 5.25; 100 at 5.30; 100 at 5.40; 100 at 5.45; 100 at 5.50; 200 at 5.60; 600 at 5.75; 2,000 Bayview at .07½; 12,000 at .07¾; 31,000 Big Missouri at .40½; 1,500 Marmot at .10¾; 1,000 at .10½; 2,000 at .11; 700 Premier at 2.34; 14,000 Independence at .13; 1,000 International Coal at .28; 6,000 Kootenay F. at .23½; 6,500 at .23¾; 900 at .24; 250 Whitewater at 2.15; 250 at 2.18; 800 at 2.20; 3,000 at 2.22; 200 at 2.23; 1,000 Golconda at .61½; 600 at .62; 53,000 Selkirks at .04½; 1,500 at .04¾; 2,000 National Silver (G.S.) at .21; 7,000 at .21½; 4,000 L. & L. at .18½; 400 Silverado at 1.00; 180 at 1.12; 700 at 1.15; 1,000 Glacier at .27; 3,050 at .28; 500 Sunloch at 1.86; 110 at 1.85; 1,400 at 1.80; 2,000 Rufus at .26; 1,500 Cork Province at .25; 8,000 at .05½; 1,000 Dunwell at .29; 1,500 at .30; 500 at .30½; 500 at .31½; 500 (B.60) at .37; 500 Ruth Hope at .44½; 1,000 at .45; 500 at .45½; 1,000 at .46; 500 at .47; 1,000 Glacier at .05; 1,550 at .05½; 5,000 British Petroleum at .04½; 1,000 at .05¼; 1,000 Silver Crest at .07½; 2,000 at .07¾; 1,000 George Copper at 3.10; 2,000 Leadsmith at .08½; 5,000 Slocan King at .16; 500 Gladstone at .18; 2,000 Porter Idaho at .40; 1,500 Lucky Jim at .38½; 500 Silversmith at .26; 4,000 at .26.

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World-Famous Stories

THE TRIANGULAR DUEL

By CAPTAIN MARRYAT

(Captain Frederick Marryat, 1792-1848, was a British novelist and a captain in the British Navy. The present amusing episode is taken from his novel, "Midshipman Easy.")

Jack Easy, Mr. Biggs the boatswain, and Mr. Easthupp the purser's steward, all had a falling out. Mr. Easy demanded and promised to give satisfaction to both the others at once. Mr. Biggs chose Mr. Tallboys, the gunner, for his second; Jack chose Gascoigne for his—and the only thing that bothered Mr. Tallboys was how to arrange for three to fight at the same time. Finally he took Mr. Gascoigne aside.

"Mr. Gascoigne," said the gunner, "I have been very much puzzled how this duel should be fought, but I have at last found out by reading up on it. You see, there are three parties to fight; had there been two or four there would have been no difficulty, as the right line or square might guide us in that instance; but we must arrange it upon the triangle in this. Are you aware, Mr. Gascoigne, of the properties of an equilateral triangle?"

"Yes. It has three equal sides. But what the devil has that to do with the duel?"

"Everything, Mr. Gascoigne. It has resolved the great difficulty. Indeed, the duel between three can only be fought upon that principle. You observe," said the gunner, taking a piece of chalk and making a triangle on the table, "in this figure we have three points, each an equal distance from the other; and we have three fighters, so that placing one at each point it is all fair play for the three. Mr. Easy, for instance, stands here, the boatswain here, and the purser's steward at the third corner. Now, if the distance is fairly measured, it will be all right."

"But then," replied Gascoigne, delighted at the idea, "how are they to fire?"

"It certainly is not of much consequence," replied the gunner. "But still, as sailors, it appears to me that they should fire with the sun—that is, Mr. Easy fires at Mr. Biggs, Mr. Biggs at Mr. Easthupp, and Mr. Easthupp fires at Mr. Easy, so that you perceive each party has his shot at one, and at the same time receives the fire of another."

Gascoigne was in ecstasies at the novelty of the proceeding, the more so as he perceived that Easy obtained every advantage of the arrangement.

"Upon my word, Mr. Tallboys, I give you great credit. You have a profound mathematical head, and I am delighted with your arrangement. Of course, in these affairs the principals are bound to comply with the arrangements of the seconds, and I shall insist upon Mr. Easy consenting to your excellent and scientific proposal."

Gascoigne went out, and, pulling Jack aside, told him what the gunner had proposed, at which Jack laughed heartily.

The gunner also explained it to the boatswain, who did not very well comprehend, but replied:

"I dare say it's all right, shot for shot, and damn all favors."

The parties then repaired to the spot with two pairs of ship's pistols, which Mr. Tallboys had smuggled on shore; and as soon as they were on the ground the gunner called Mr. Easthupp out of the cooperage. In the meantime Gascoigne had been measuring the equilateral triangle of twelve paces, and marked it out. Mr. Tallboys, on his return with the purser's steward, went over the ground, and finding that it was "equal angles subtended by equal sides," declared that all was right. Easy took his station, the boatswain was put into his, and Mr. Easthupp, who was quite in a mystery, was led by the gunner to the third position.

Mr. Easthupp made a great fuss, and said he saw no reason why Mr. Biggs should shoot at him, as they had no quarrel. They never did make him see it aright, but he finally had to abide by the decision of the seconds. He was told that he got satisfaction by firing at Mr. Easy, and that he should in all fairness receive a shot in return even if it did not come from Mr. Biggs. Finally Mr. Easthupp agreed with:

"Death before dishonor! I'm a gentleman, damme!"

At all events, the swell was not a very courageous gentleman, for he trembled most exceedingly as he pointed his pistol. The gunner gave the word as if he were exercising the great guns of the ship.

"Cock your locks! Take your aim at the object! Fire! Stop your vents!"

The only one who appeared to comply with the latter order was Mr. Easthupp, who clapped his hand to his trousers behind, gave a loud yell, and then dropped down, the bullet having passed clean through his seat of honor, from his having presented his broadside as a target to the boatswain as he faced Mr. Easy. Jack's shot had also taken effect, having passed through both the boatswain's cheeks, without further mischief than extracting two of his best upper double teeth and forcing through the hole of the further cheek, the boatswain's own quid of tobacco. As for Mr. Easthupp's ball, it had gone the Lord knows where.

The purser's steward lay on the ground and screamed; the boatswain spit out his double teeth and two or three mouthfuls of blood, and then threw down his pistol in a rage.

"A pretty business!" sputtered he. "He's put my pipe out. How the devil am I to pipe to dinner when I'm ordered, all my wind escaping through the cheeks?"

In the meantime, the others had gone to the assistance of the purser's steward, who continued his vociferations. They examined him, and considered a wound in that part not to be dangerous.

"Hold your confounded bawling," cried the gunner, "or you'll have the guard down here. You're not hurt."

"Hain't hi!" roared the steward. "Oh, let me die! Let me die! Don't move me!"

"Nonsense!" cried the gunner, "you must get up and walk down to the boat. If you don't, we'll leave you. You won't? Then I'll give you something to halloo for!"

Whereupon Mr. Tallboys commenced cuffing the poor wretch right and left, who received so many swinging boxes on the ear that he was soon reduced to merely pitiful complaints of his pain.

Mr. Biggs, who had bound up his face as if he had a toothache, for the bleeding had been very slight, came up to the purser's steward, exclaiming:

"What the hell are you making such a howling about? Look at me, with two shot-holes through my figure head, while you have only got one in your stern. I wish I could change with you, by Heavens, for I could use my whistle then. Now, if I attempt to pipe, there will be such a wasteful expenditure of his Majesty's store of wind that I shall never get out a note. A wicked shot of yours, Mr. Easy."

"I really am very sorry," replied Jack with a polite bow, "and I beg to offer my best apology."

MARRIAGE RAISES DOLE ALLOWANCE

Young Men of United Kingdom Increase Income Through Wedding Ceremony

LONDON, Jan. 11.—That a considerable number of young men in the United Kingdom who are receiving relief from the Poor Law Guardians marry and thus add to the amount of money they receive in poor law relief, is pointed out in the annual report of the Ministry of Health for 1926-27. The report states:

"It is commonly supposed that poor law relief is available only to meet existing necessities of persons who have become destitute, and it is not generally realized that during the past six years numbers of young men without employment and maintained on poor law relief have married, securing thereby an increase in their income from relief, and have had families, each addition bringing its addition to the family income. In this report it may be doubted whether the present position can be paralleled since 1834."

SELECTED CASE

The report gives a number of cases selected from a larger list identified in one union. One was: Laborer, born 1905; relief begun, 1922; married, 1924; children, two.

The total cost of poor relief in England and Wales during the year under review was, according to the returns furnished by the clerks to the guardians, £23,578,230, as compared with £15,326,742 for the year 1925-1926, £12,978,268 in 1924-1925, and £14,664,802 in 1923-24. The great increase is attributed largely to the effects of the industrial disputes. The estimated total expenditure on Poor Law relief during the year under review was £49,500,000, as compared with a total expenditure of £40,083,455 in 1925-26.

STRIKE CAUSES INCREASE

The dominant feature of the year under review was the increase of pauperism resulting from the coal mining stoppage and the general strike. During the whole year the weekly number of persons in receipt of relief averaged 1,930,841, equivalent to 496 per 10,000 of the population of the country, as compared with 1,207,302, or 312 per 10,000 of the population in 1925-26, and 1,113,015, or 287 per 10,000 of the population in 1924-25. The actual number of persons in receipt of relief at the end of March, 1926, was 1,240,090, or 320 per 10,000 of the population, and at the end of March, 1927, 1,240,550, or 319 per 10,000 of the population. Up to the beginning of the general strike on May 4, 1926, there was some reduction of the number of persons in receipt of relief. By May 8 the total number of persons in receipt of relief had risen to 1,358,783, an increase of 136,772 over the number in the previous week. On May 15 the total number had increased by a further 750,545 to 2,109,328, and on May 22 the total was 2,440,629, almost exactly double the total on May 1.

From August 14 the numbers steadily declined, until on December 11 the total fell below 2,000,000 for the first time since May 8, and afterwards the numbers continued to decrease each week to March 26, 1927, when the figure was 1,240,550, a net increase of only 460 as compared with the numbers on the corresponding date in 1925-26.

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Second Same—"Very quiet. They had neither soup nor after-dinner speakers."

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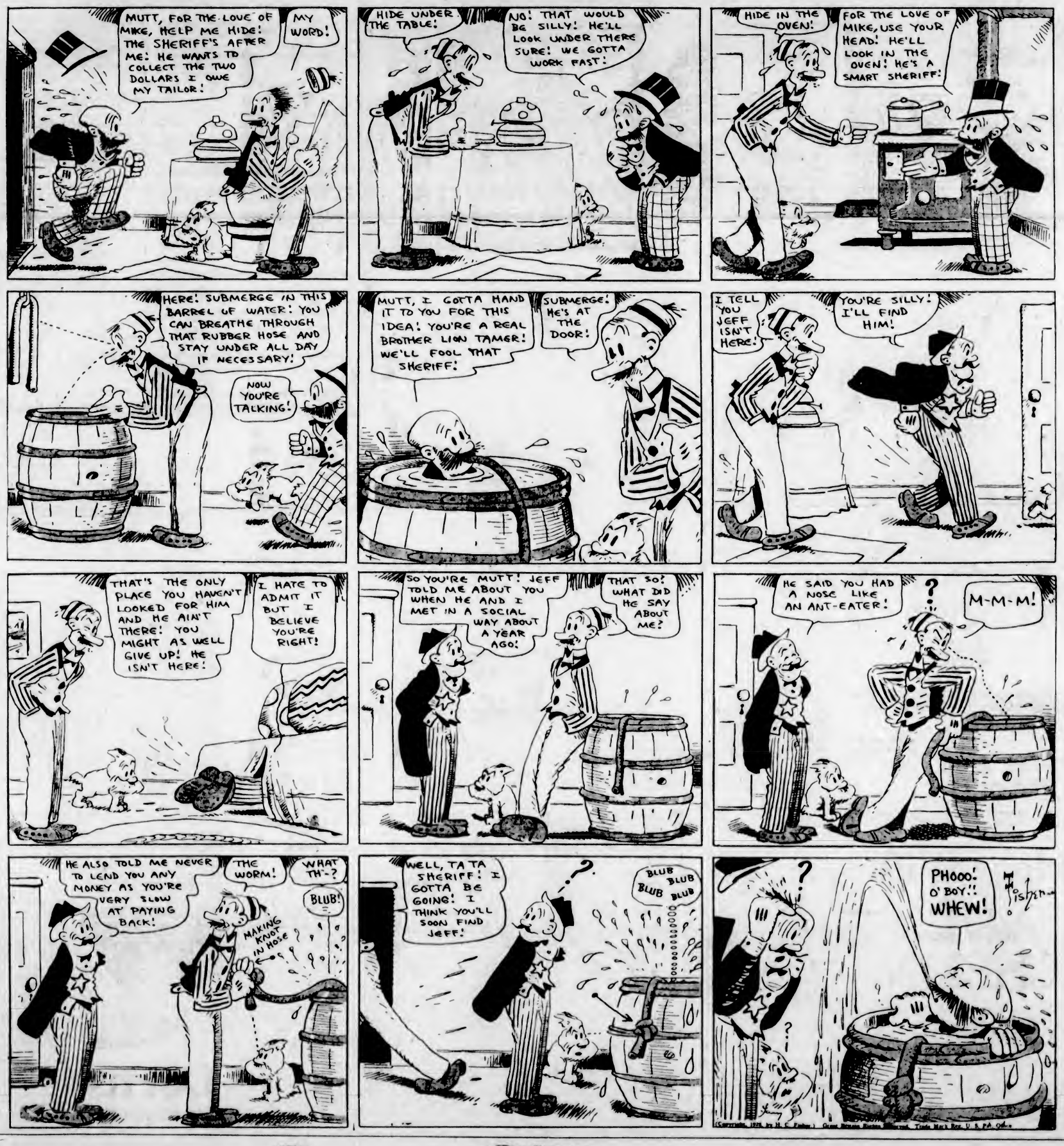

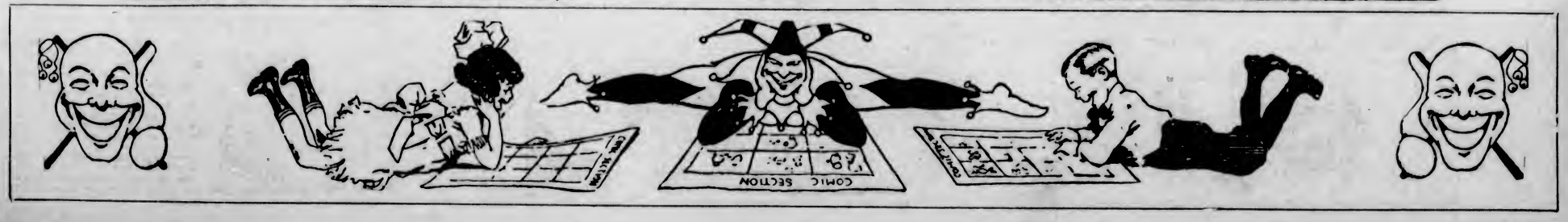

In the Radio World

Pacific Coast Network

Week of January 15

SUNDAY: 1 TO 2 P.M., GOLDEN STRAND GROUP

The second programme of the newly inaugurated Golden Strand Group will be broadcast over the N.B.C. Pacific Coast network this afternoon from 1 to 2 o'clock. This hour features a large orchestra, augmented by a tenor and a soprano soloist.

3 TO 5 P.M.

The first half hour of today's two-hour concert will bring N.B.C. Pacific Coast network listeners the song cycle, "In a Persian Garden." When Liza Lehmann, the English composer, came to this country a few years ago her coming was due to the phenomenal success of her "Persian Garden" song cycle.

A half hour concert by the Arion Trio is offered in the next period from 3:30 to 4 o'clock. This group is well known to West Coast music lovers and is a valuable addition to the N.B.C. Pacific Coast network artist staff. The Arion Trio, with Joyce Barthelson, pianist and arranger; Margaret Avery, 'cellist, and Josephine Holub, violinist, will present this afternoon a semi-classical programme of favorite concert selections.

A thirty-minute programme by Madame Maria Verda, lyric soprano, will feature the guest artist period from 4 to 4:30 today. Madame Verda, distinguished artist and teacher, comes to the Pacific Coast direct from Europe, where she appeared in concert in Italy, France and Germany.

The Great Moment in History, broadcast as the fourth and final feature of this two-hour programme, surrounds the well-known historical character, Alexander Hamilton, and will be heard from 4:30 to 5.

KOMO, Seattle; KFOA, Seattle, and KGW, Portland, will broadcast the entire programme from 3 to 5 o'clock.

6:30 TO 7:30 P.M., STANDARD SYMPHONY HOUR

The NBC Pacific Coast network radio audience in the hour from 6:30 to 7:30 will be offered a symphony concert.

This year the world is celebrating the 100 anniversary of the death of Franz Schubert, a composer badly neglected during his lifetime but now numbered among the immortals of music. In line with this, the Standard Symphony Orchestra, under the direction of Nathan Abas, will play the first movement of Schubert's "Unfinished Symphony."

The soloist during the Standard Symphony hour will be Michel Penha, one of the foremost 'cello virtuosos on the Pcaific Coast.

8 TO 9 P.M., ATWATER KENT HOUR

An exceptional programme is offered in the Atwater Kent hour broadcast from 8 to 9 o'clock.

The hour will bring before the microphone three artists of national prominence. The first of these, Mishel Piastro, has already gained great fame as a master of the violin, while the other two, Emilia da Prato and Ted Roy, the second place winners of the recent Atwater Kent Audition, have every promise of vocal fame ahead of them.

MONDAY: 8 TO 9 P.M., RUDY SEIGER'S SHELL SYMPHONISTS

The hour from 8 to 9 will bring N.B.C. Pacific Coast network listeners another musical programme by Rudy Seiger's Shell Symphonists.

Rudy Seiger's Shell Symphonists have won so much favor from the radio public that in response to wide appeal a part of the programme on Monday will be given up to playing request numbers.

10 TO 11 P.M., SPOTLIGHT HOUR

The Spotlight hour will be broadcast over the associated N.B.C. Pacific Coast network stations from 10 to 11 o'clock. This Spotlight hour, which has won a place in the hearts of radio fans, has as its sole mission the bringing back of the best opera music and musical comedy hits of other years.

TUESDAY: 8 TO 8:30 P.M., EVEREADY SALON ORCHESTRA

The Eveready Salon Orchestra will offer to the N.B.C. Pacific Coast network radio audience in the half hour from 8 to 8:30 a programme of Italian music.

Each week this thirty-minute programme features a certain type of music. Tuesday evening's concert opens with a collection of Italian folk songs and folk tunes. The outstanding numbers to be heard are Leoncavallo's morning song, "Mattinata," excerpts from Verdi's "Rigoletto" and Luigi Denza's "Funiculi-Funicula."

8:30 TO 9 P.M., BRIDGE LESSONS

Western bridge fans who tune in on the weekly radio auction bridge game broadcast over the N.B.C. Pacific Coast network will, in the half hour beginning at 8:30, be offered the twelfth game of the series.

9 TO 9:30 P.M., RETOLD TALE

O. Henry's story, "Vanity and Some Sables" will be presented from 9 to 9:30 p.m. The National Players will enact this drama of the tenderloin district of New York City called the "Stovepipe," which is a narrow and natural extension of the familiar section known as "Hell's Kitchen."

9:30 TO 10 P.M., THE ROUNDERS

Pacific Coast network listeners will have the opportunity of hearing the N.B.C. Rounders in another round-up of rollicking rhythm from 9:30 to 10 o'clock. Two weeks ago this popular male quintette presented its first programme as a separate and exclusive chain feature. Since this inaugural they have had many requests and Tuesday night's half hour includes several of them.

WEDNESDAY: 6:30 TO 7 P.M., MUSICAL FRUIT COCKTAIL

The Sunkist Melodists will present another Musical Fruit Cocktail to N.B.C. Pacific Coast network listeners from 6:30 to 7 o'clock. This programme, offered each Wednesday evening as a dinner hour concert, opens and closes with a popular air of the day presented by the orchestra and vocal ensemble.

9 TO 10 P.M., THE VAGABONDS

Beginning at 9 o'clock and for the next hour the N.B.C. Vagabonds will take Pacific Coast network listeners on a musical journey "With Street Singers of the Past."

Strolling players in the period of the Renaissance sang and played the songs of that day, songs for which there was no written music, the airs being passed from player to player.

THURSDAY: 9 TO 10 P.M., DODGE BROTHERS, INC.

Dodge Brothers' presentation broadcast over the N.B.C. Pacific Coast network from 9 to 9:30 o'clock is, as usual, light and popular in character. The programme features the sterling male quartette, the lively orchestra of instrumental soloists, a soprano, and the air comedian.

Numbered among the popular selections to be heard are "My Ohio Home" and "I Fell Head Over Heels in Love" by the quartette, and "Little Log Cabin of Dreams" and "Did You Mean It?" by the orchestra.

9:30 TO 10 P.M., MOON MAGIC

Featuring Kajetan Attl, famed harpist, the well-known Arion Trio and a gifted soprano, the sixth of the weekly "Moon Magic" programmes will be broadcast over the N.B.C. Pacific Coast network from 9:30 to 10 o'clock.

FRIDAY, 8 TO 9 P.M., WRIGLEY REVIEW

The weekly programme of the Wrigley Spearmen will be broadcast over the N.B.C. Pacific Coast network on Friday night from 8 to 9 o'clock. The large orchestra, augmented by vocal and instrumental soloists and the male and mixed quartettes, will make this hour, as usual, one of particular enjoyment and satisfaction.

9 TO 9:30 P.M., WHITE ROCK PROGRAMME

The half hour beginning at 9 o'clock will mark the inauguration of another sponsored programme broadcast over the N.B.C. Pacific Coast network. This new broadcast will usher in an entirely different type of programme, featuring a large orchestra, with a trained section of eleven saxophones, playing classical, semi-classical and popular numbers. In addition there will be a baritone soloist who will contribute several selections on each programme.

9:30 TO 10 P.M., MEMORY LANE

N.B.C. Pacific Coast listeners will note that the new White Rock programme replaces the first half hour of Memory Lane, formerly broadcast from 9 to 10. However, the spirit of this programme, with its tender memories and recollections for the old folks, will be kept intact.

SATURDAY: 8 TO 9 P.M., R.C.A. HOUR

The tinkling tones of the old-fashioned music box will introduce another R.C.A. hour at 8 o'clock. The music to be presented during this hour includes both the classical and the popular. Among the classical selections considerable interest attached to Kamennoi - Ostrow, which was written by Rubenstein during his Summer vacations on a little island on the River Neva, near St. Petersburg.

9 TO 10 P.M., PHILCO HOUR

The N.B.C. Pacific Coast network radio audience will be offered the Philco hour from 9 to 10 o'clock.

This variety programme opens with the orchestra's heavy field pieces playing Sousa's stirring "National Emblem March," which sustains the spirit of the Introductory Artillery Song already very familiar to listeners.

Then follows Verdi's "Celeste Aida," made famous by the immortal Caruso. This and the following number, "A Vucchella," are presented by the Philco tenor, Harold Spaulding. Among other outstanding numbers to be heard during the hour are the "Children's Toy Symphony," a novelty descriptive by Haydn, and "Gypsy Baron," by the famous German waltz king, Johann Strauss.

10 P.M. TO 12 MIDNIGHT, THE TROCADERANS

The two-hour period from 10 to 12 o'clock will feature the N.B.C. eleven-piece dance orchestra, The Trocaderans, playing late song and dance hits with new special arrangements. There will be in addition, between groups of three numbers, vocal and instrumental solos, pianologues and several surprise features.

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Sunday's Programme

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (475.9m)—4 p.m., The Christadelphian Church of Victoria, followed by special music by the soloist from the Angelus Temple. 7:28, Time signal by Wilkerson, jeweler; West Coast Information Service and the news.

NBC, National Broadcasting Company—1-3 p.m., Golden Strand Group. This hour, featuring a large orchestra, augmented by a tenor and a soprano soloist, is sponsored by the American Wire Fabric Corporation. This programme will be broadcast over KOMO, KFOA, KGO, KPO and KFI. 3-5, Sunday afternoon concert. The first half hour of today's two-hour concert will bring N.B.C. Pacific Coast network listeners the song cycle, "In a Persian Garden." When Lisa Lehmann, the English composer, came to the United States a few years ago, her coming was due to the phenomenal success of her "Persian Garden" song cycle. The work is a setting of selected quatrains from the Rubaiyat of Omar Khayyam, the Persian poet who lived a thousand years ago, whose poem was put into such remarkable English by Fitzgerald. Lisa Lehmann confesses, however, that she got her inspiration for the work not in a Persian garden, but in an English one. She lived near London with her painter-husband, Herbert Bedfore, himself an excellent composer of music, which he writes in addition to his paintings. Lisa Lehmann was long successful as a singer before she took to writing music. She was a friend of Clara Schumann, the famous pianist, and after concert work became a professor at the Guildhall School of Music in London. "In a Persian Garden" is written for four solo voices frequently combined, so that it has great variety. It is a colorful, melodious work, thoroughly adapted to the beautiful verses. A half-hour concert by the Arion Trio is offered in the next period from 3:30 to 4 o'clock. This group is well known to West Coast music lovers and is a valuable addition to the N.B.C. Pacific Coast network artist staff. The Arion Trio, with Joyce Barthelson, pianist and arranger, Margaret Avery, 'cellist, and Josephine Holub, violinist, will present a semi-classical programme of favorite concert selections. A thirty-minute programme by Madame Maria Verda, lyric soprano, will feature the guest artist period from 4 to 4:30 today. Madame Verda, distinguished artist and teacher, comes to the Pacific Coast direct from Europe, where she appeared in concert in Italy, France and Germany. The Great Moment in History broadcast as the fourth and final feature of this two-hour programme surrounds the well-known historical character, Alexander Hamilton. Hamilton was born January 11, 1757, at Nevis, W.I. He attended school at Elizabeth, N.J., and King's College, from which he graduated in 1773. In March, 1777, he was aide-de-camp to Washington, acting as his confidential secretary and assistant. He was a member of Congress in 1782-1783, at which time he wrote his famous book, "The Federalist." Alexander Hamilton was a real citizen and statesman and was called by an author "The Greatest American." The many interesting events surrounding his life and career will be told by the National Players in this radio dramatization prepared by Henry Fisk Carlton. KPO and KGO will broadcast this programme from 3 to 4 p.m.; KFI will broadcast from 3 to 4:30 p.m. while KHQ, KOMO, KFOA and KGW will broadcast the entire programme from 3 to 5 p.m. 6:30-7:30, Standard Symphony hour. The N.B.C. Pacific Coast network radio audience will be offered a symphony concert sponsored by the Standard Oil Company of California. The soloist during the Standard Symphony hour will be Michel Penha, one of the foremost 'cello virtuosos on the Pacific Coast, coming here after brilliant successes in the East and in Europe. This programme will be broadcast over the entire network, including KHQ, KOMO, KFOA, KGW, KGO, KPO and KFI. 8-9, Atwater Kent hour. An exceptional programme is offered the N.B.C. Pacific Coast network radio audience in the Atwater Kent hour. The hour will bring before the microphone three artists of national prominence. The first of these, Mischel Piastro, has already gained great fame as a master of the violin, while the other two, Emilia da Prato and Ted Roy, the second place winners of the recent Atwater Kent Audition, have every promise of vocal fame ahead of them. Mischel Piastro, the eminent Russian violin virtuoso, is an impassioned player and artist of distinction. He has concertized not only in the United States but throughout Europe and the Orient. His playing is characterized by its sustained smoothness and perfect intonation. Wherever he has gone Piastro's playing has created a genuine stir in musical circles, and the Pacific Coast network radio audience may well look forward to his appearance over the air. Emilia da Prato is the little girl stenographer of South San Francisco who won second place in the National Radio Audition, singing over a nation-wide network from the WEAF studios of New York. On the same programme will be heard Ted Roy, of Corvallis, Oregon, widely known as "The Singing Blacksmith," a title gained by reason of the fact that for the past eleven years this has been his business during the Summer seasons. He won second place among the boys singing from the New York studios. Roy comes from a family of pioneers, while Miss da Prato was born in Italy and brought to America when but three years old. Both young singers took second place in the National Radio Audition held in New York last December, each winning $3,000 in cash prizes and a year's training in an Eastern conservatory of music. They will be heard in the songs which won them both the district and national honors.

KFRC, San Francisco (454.3m)—10 a.m.-12 noon, Home Sweet Home concert. 12 noon-1 p.m., Services and sermon from the Paulist Fathers' Old St. Mary's Church. 3-4, S. & W. Sunday recital. 5-6, Organ recital. 6-6.30, Talk by Rabbi Louis Newman. 6:30-7:30, Mark Hopkins Orchestra. 7:30-8:30, Cadillac Concert Orchestra. 8:30-10, Balconades Ballroom Orchestra. 10 p.m.-13 midnight, KFRC Dance Orchestra.

KFWM, Oakland, Cal. (236.1m)—9:30-10 a.m., Children's radio programme. 10-11, I.B.S.A. of Oakland programme. 12:30-1 p.m., Special musical programme. 1-2:30, I.B.S.A. of San Francisco programme. 7:30-9, Dramalogue, "The Return of Little Betty Brown."

KFWI, San Francisco, Cal. (267.7m)—7:30-8 p.m., Services, Eighth Church of Christ. 10-11, Tom Gerunovich's Roof Garden Orchestra.

KTAB, Oakland, Cal. (280.2m)—9:45-10:45 a.m., Prof. Linsley's Bible class. 11, Services of 10th Ave. Baptist Church. 1:30-3:30 p.m., KTAB's Symphonic hour. 7-7:45, Vesper service. 7:45, Services of 10th Ave. Baptist Church.

KHQ, Spokane, Wash. (370.2m)—10:30-11 a.m., Children's Sunday school. 11-12:30 p.m., Services of Central M.E. Church. 3-5, N.B.C. programme. 7:30-9, Services of Church of Truth. 9-10, I.B.S.A. programme.

KOA, Denver, Colo. (325.9m)—10 a.m., Service of First Congregational Church. 4:30 p.m., Organ recital. 5:30-6:30, Brown Palace Hotel concert. 6:45, Service of First Congregational Church.

KFSD, San Diego, Cal. (440.9m)—11:15-12:15 p.m., Services, First Unitarian Church. 2-3, Services, International Bible Students. 3-4, Services, Theosophical Society. 6:15-10, Concert programme.

KHJ, Los Angeles, Cal. (416.4m)—6-10 a.m., Sunday concert. 10-10:30, Studio sermon. 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., First M.E. Church services. 12:30-2, Flamingo Sextette. 4-5, Matinee Melody Masters. 5-6, Sunset musicale. 6-6:45, Orthophonic and Knabe-Ampico programme. 6:45-7, World-wide news. 7-8, Services, First M.E. Church. 8-10, KHJ Concert Orchestra.

KFUS, Oakland, Cal. (256.3m)—9 a.m., Exposition of the International Sunday School. 3-4 p.m., Sacred concert. 7:45, Service, Kinhurst Full Gospel Church.

KYA, San Francisco, Cal. (309.1m)—11 a.m., Services from Central Methodist Episcopal Church. 7:30 p.m., Church services from Central Methodist Episcopal Church.

KGW, San Jose, Cal. (296.9m)—2-3 p.m., Special Sunday concert. 3-4, Musical hour. 7:30-9:30, Services, First Baptist Church.

KOIN, Portland, Ore. (319.0m)—3-4:30 p.m., Municipal concert. 6-7, Dinner concert. 7-8, Benson Hotel Orchestra. 8-9, Services from First Church of Christ, Scientist. 6-10, Musical comedy hour.

KFOA, Seattle, Wash. (447.5m)—1-3 p.m., N.B.C. programme. 3-5, N.B.C. programme. 5:30-6:30, E. R. Rutterworth & Sons Concert Orchestra. 6:30-7:30, N.B.C. programme. 8-9, N.B.C. programme.

KEX, Portland, Ore. (289.9m)—5-6 p.m., Studio programme. 6-7:30, Multnomah Hotel Orchestra. 7:30-8:30, Mt. Tabor Presbyterian Church service. 8:30-9, Studio programme. 9-10, I.B.S.A. programme.

KPLA, Los Angeles, Cal. (252m)—7:30-8 p.m., Dr. David Edstrom, art lecture. 8-10, KPLA Orchestra.

KFI, Los Angeles, Cal. (468.5m)—10 a.m., Services, Los Angeles Church Federation. 11, Temple Baptist Church. 1 p.m., N.B.C. programme. 3, N.B.C. programme. 5:30, Johnnie Dull and his Melody Boys. 6:30, N.B.C. programme. 7:30, Father Ricard's Sunspot weather forecast. 7:35, Bob Buckner and his Sole Killers. 8, N.B.C. programme. 9, N.B.C. programme. 9:30, Mary Christine, Albin Trio. 10, Bill Funk and his Packard Six Orchestra.

KGW, Portland, Ore. (491m)—8:30-9:15 a.m., "Aunty Blossom." 11-12 noon, Services from the St. Stephen's Pro Cathedral. 1-2 p.m., N.B.C. programme. 3-4, Concert. 4-5:30, concert. 5:30-7:30, N.B.C. programme. 7:30-8, The Two Steinway Artists. 8-9, Atwater Kent programme over N.B.C. 9-10, N.B.C. programme. 10-6:30 p.m., Zither solos. 6:30-7:05, I.B.S.A. 7:05-7:30, First Congregational Church. 11, Little Symphony Orchestra.

KVOS, Bellingham, Wash. (389.7m)—6-7:30-8, Kiddies' programme. 8-9, Program featuring advanced pupils. 9-10, Studio programme.

KPO, San Francisco (422.3m)—4-5:30 p.m., Mixed quartette. 5:30-6:30, Chickering hour. 6:30-7:30, Standard Symphony programme. 8-9, Concert. Novelty programme. 8-9, Truck fire service programme. 9-12 midnight, Kiwanis frolic.

KTAB, Oakland, Cal. (280.2m)—4-6 p.m., From Grandfather's Clock. 5-6:45, "Who's Who" hour. 6:45-7:30, Shopping Hour. 8-10, The Weavers present "When Mammy Sings an Old Time Song."

KYA, San Francisco (309.1m)—5-5:30 p.m., KYA air circus. 5:30-7, Golden Gate Crier. 7-7:30, Dr. Frederick W. Clampett. 8-9, A popular programme. 9-10, Light operatic programme.

KOMO, Seattle, Wash. (305m)—4-4:30 p.m., Totem Concert Orchestra. 4:30-5, Rhena Marshall, soprano; "Crops and Soils." 5-5:05, Talk, Public Health League. 5:30-6:45, Kiddies' programme. 5:45-6, Stock and bond quotations. 6-6:15, News flashes and sports. 6:15-6:45, Totem Concert Orchestra, xylophone and saw solos. 8-9, N.B.C. programme. 9-9:30, Totem Concert Orchestra. 9:30-10, "Siwash Gulch," discusses problems of the day. 10-11, N.B.C. programme. 11-11:15, Late news flashes. 11:15-12:30 a.m., Totem Concert Orchestra; Joseph Pine, saxophone solos; Senor Jose Barroso, 'cello solos.

KFUS, Oakland, Cal. (256.3m)—8-9:40 a.m., Early morning worship hour.

KGW, San Jose Cal. (296.9m)—12 noon-1 a.m., KGW second birthday party.

KHQ, Spokane, Wash. (370.2m)—3-4 p.m., Kohler radio hour. 4-5, Bailey's hour of music. 5-6, Educational talks. 6-6:30, Davenport Hotel Concert Orchestra. 6:30-8, Organ concert. 8-9, N.B.C. programme. 9-10, Maxwell House Concert Orchestra. 10:30-12 midnight, Spokane Coyote frolic.

CNRV, Vancouver (291m)—10-11 a.m., Hour of music. 10-11 p.m., The Apollo Quartette of Vancouver.

Monday's Programme

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (475.9m)—8 a.m., The morning market quotations direct from the B.C. Bond Corporation. 6:30 p.m., What's doing in town. 7:10, The closing market quotations by the B.C. Bond Corporation; weather reports and forecast. 7:28, Time signal by Wilkerson, jeweler; West Coast Information Service and the news. 11, Organ recital by courtesy of The Colonist.

KFRC, San Francisco, Cal. (454.3m)—4:30-5 p.m., Organ recital. 5-5:15, News items. 5:15-5:45, Mac and his Gang. 6:45-6:20, Joe Mendel and Pep Band. 6:20-6:30, Stage, screen, police reports. 6:30-7, Sports talk. 7-7:30, The Hawaiians. 8-10, Blue Monday Jamboree. 10 p.m.-13 midnight, KFRC Dance Orchestra.

KPLA, Los Angeles, Cal. (252m)—4-4:03 p.m., Dr. Geo. Parrish. 4-4:30, Records. 4:30-5, The Air Castle. 5-5:30, Spanish Course. 5:30-6, Sundown frolic. 6-7, Programme featuring the White King Quartette. 7-8, Nunez Trio. 8-9, Ida Schulis, soprano. 9-10, Hal Chasnoff String Ensemble and Red Wyatt. 10-11, Palais de Dance.

KVI, Tacoma, Wash. (334.2m)—9 a.m., News. 9-15, Homemaker chats. 9:45, Aloha Oe. 3, Chamber music. 3:30, Varied music. 4, Popular music. 4:30-5, Tea hour. 6-10, Dance music.

KJBS, San Francisco, Cal. (229m)—9 a.m.-12 noon, Instrumental and vocal selections. 1:30-3 p.m., Instrumental and vocal selections. 3-4, Letterman Hospital programme. 4-7:30, Instrumental and vocal selections. 8-10, Dance music.

KFWI, San Francisco, Cal. (267.7m)—5-5:30 p.m., Brunswick New Hall of Fame concert. 5:30-6, Advance construction reports. 6-7, Dinner concert. 7-7:15, Sports review. 7:16-7:30, Advertising talk, E. Epstein. 6-6:30, Darnelle Sisters. 6:30-9, Suzanne Cole, violinist. 8-10, Val Valente and his Weird Jungle Jazz from Jungle Town. 10-10:03, Police reports. 10:03-11, Gloria Del Rae.

KFWM, Oakland, Cal. (224.1m)—6-7 p.m., Dinner hour musical programme. 8-10, Musical programme.

KHJ, Los Angeles, Cal. (416.4m)—4:15-4:30 p.m., M. D. Benesh, Public Relations Department. 4:30-6, Marre Shannon Harrington, lecturer. 5-6, Sunset musical. 6-6:45, Orthophonic and Knabe Ampico programme. 6:45-7, World wide news. 7-8, Earl Coatesworth, tenor. 8-9, Ray Canfield's Steel Ensemble. 9:10, Pinafore Operetta. 10-11, Beverly Hearrata and Ras and Jim.

KVOS, Bellingham, Wash. (389.7m)—4-5 p.m., Radio dealers' broadcast. 6-7, Shopping tour. 7-7:30, Programme featuring Frank Gottschalk. 7:30-8, Kiddies' programme. 8-9, Classical instrumental and vocal numbers. 9-10, Gloom Killers' hour.

KGO, Oakland, Cal. (384.4m)—4-6 p.m., Frank Ellis and his Hotel St. Francis Dance Orchestra. 5:30-6, Aunt Betty stories. 6-6:45, Kohler and Chase dinner concert. 6:45, "What's Happening in the World." 7:05, Weather, S.P. produce. 8-8, N.B.C. programme. 9, Time signal. 9-10, "Through Pirs and Water." 10-11, "Spotlight Hour," N.B.C.

KLX, Oakland, Cal. (508m)—5:30-6:30 p.m., Brother Bob's Club, Boy Scout programme. 6:30-7, Dinner concert. 7-7:30, News broadcast. 8-9, Roy Dyer's El Nido Cafe Orchestra. 9-10, Weekly meeting of Lake Merritt Ducks.

KPO, San Francisco, Cal. (422.3m)—4-5 p.m., Studio programme. 5-6, Children's hour, by Big Brother. 6-6:30, Ye Towne Crier service. 6:30-7:30, KPO Concert Orchestra. 7-7:10, Book review by Harold Small. 8-9, N.B.C. programme. 6-9 p.m., N.B.C. programme. 6-10, Programme of International music. 10-13 midnight, KPO's variety hour.

KEX, Portland, Ore. (289.9m)—4-5 p.m., Duo-Art concert. 5-6, Novelty recording concert. 6-6:30, News, sports, announcements. 6:20-6:30, Livestock news and shipper's advice. 6:30-7, Children's hour. 7-8, Multnomah Orchestra. 8-10, Studio programme. 10-13 midnight, Monday night review.

KGW, Portland, Ore. (491m)—6-7 p.m., Dinner concert. 7-7:30, Edwards' Dependable Coffee demi tasse programme. 7:30-7:45, "Better Flowers" talk. 7:45-8, Travel talk. 8-9, N.B.C. programme. 9-10, Concert by Maxwell House Coffee Orchestra. 10-11, N.B.C. programme.

KTBR, Portland, Ore. (282.8m)—1-3 p.m., Semi-classical programme. 2-3, Popular programme. 6-6:50, Dinner concert. 6:50-7, Road reports and announcements. 8-9, Varied programme.

KFI, Los Angeles, Cal. (468.5m)—5:30 p.m., Leon Rene and his Southern Syncopaters. 6:15, George W. Cartwright, radiotorial. 6:30, Glenn Edmunds and his Collegians. 7, Gene Johnston's music box hour. 8, N.B.C. programme. 9, Shirley Mirkin, European pianist. 10, N.B.C. programme.

KFOA, Seattle, Wash. (447.5m)—2:15-4 p.m., Organ recital. 4:30-5, News items, weather report. 5-6, Big Brother's children's programme. 6-6:30, Sperry Flour special hour. 6:30-7:15, Studio programme. 7:15-7:30, Industrial news. 7:30-7:45, Better flowers talk. 8-9, N.B.C. programme. 9-10, Maxwell House Coffee Orchestra. 10:30-13 midnight, Coyotes frolic from KHQ.

KOIN, Portland, Ore. (319m)—5:15-6 p.m., Topsy-Turvy Time Club for the children. 6-7, Dinner concert orchestra. 7-7:15, Amusements and puzzle contest. 7:15-8, Benson Hotel Orchestra. 8-8:20, Motor Coach Entertainers. 8:20-9, Studio artists' programme. 9-10, Apostolic Faith Orchestra. 10-11:30 p.m., Cole McElroy's Columbia Recording Dance Band.

NBC, National Broadcasting Company—8-9 p.m., Rudy Seiger's Shell Symphonists have won so much favor from the radio public that in response to wide appeal a part of the Shell programme this evening will be given up to playing request numbers. Through his long radio experience, Rudy Seiger has become adept in the art of inserting request numbers in his programmes so that they are appropriate to the rest of the concert selections and do not seem to have been put in at the last moment. This programme will be broadcast from stations KHQ, KOMO, KFOA, KGW, KGO, KPO, KFI. 10-11, Spotlight Hour, which has won a place in the hearts of radio fans, has as its sole mission the bringing back of the best opera music and musical comedy hits of other years. Hearing once more the familiar strains of a song heard ten or fifteen years ago brings with it a group of associated memories and gives that pleasure of reminiscence man and woman enjoy after the fortieth birthday has passed. The younger folk, to whom much of the music is quite new because it was played before they became theatrgoers, also like this "Spotlight Hour" with its pleasant revivals. Miss Eileen Figsott has an excellent number on this programme, "All the World Loves a Lover," from "Modest Suzanne."

KWTC, Santa Ana, Cal. (221.1m)—5:30-7 p.m., Dinner hour programme.

KFON, Long Beach, Cal. (241.8m)—3-4 p.m., Women's Music Study Club. 4-4:30 p.m., Late news bulletins and sporting events. 4:30-6, Piggly Wiggly Concert Orchestra. 6-6:15, Doris and Clarence. 6:15-7, Piggly Wiggly Concert Orchestra. 7-8, Novelty programme. 8-9, Truck fire service programme. 9-12 midnight, Kiwanis frolic.

KTAB, Oakland, Cal. (280.2m)—4-6 p.m., From Grandfather's Clock. 5-6:45, "Who's Who" hour. 6:45-7:30, Shopping Hour. 8-10, The Weavers present "When Mammy Sings an Old Time Song."

KYA, San Francisco (309.1m)—5-5:30 p.m., KYA air circus. 5:30-7, Golden Gate Crier. 7-7:30, Dr. Frederick W. Clampett. 8-9, A popular programme. 9-10, Light operatic programme.

KOMO, Seattle, Wash. (305m)—4-4:30 p.m., Totem Concert Orchestra. 4:30-5, Rhena Marshall, soprano; "Crops and Soils." 5-5:05, Talk, Public Health League. 5:30-6:45, Kiddies' programme. 5:45-6, Stock and bond quotations. 6-6:15, News flashes and sports. 6:15-6:45, Totem Concert Orchestra, xylophone and saw solos. 8-9, N.B.C. programme. 9-9:30, Totem Concert Orchestra. 9:30-10, "Siwash Gulch," discusses problems of the day. 10-11, N.B.C. programme. 11-11:15, Late news flashes. 11:15-12:30 a.m., Totem Concert Orchestra; Joseph Pine, saxophone solos; Senor Jose Barroso, 'cello solos.

KFUS, Oakland, Cal. (256.3m)—8-9:40 a.m., Early morning worship hour.

KGW, San Jose Cal. (296.9m)—12 noon-1 a.m., KGW second birthday party.

KHQ, Spokane, Wash. (370.2m)—3-4 p.m., Kohler radio hour. 4-5, Bailey's hour of music. 5-6, Educational talks. 6-6:30, Davenport Hotel Concert Orchestra. 6:30-8, Organ concert. 8-9, N.B.C. programme. 9-10, Maxwell House Concert Orchestra. 10:30-12 midnight, Spokane Coyote frolic.

CNRV, Vancouver (291m)—10-11 a.m., Hour of music. 10-11 p.m., The Apollo Quartette of Vancouver.

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SUGGESTIONS ON SHORT WAVE MADE

Resistance Regeneration Control Effective at High Frequency, Says Expert

There are many interesting things taking place these days on the short waves far below the lowest setting on the usual radiocast receiver. However, the average radio enthusiast, largely through misunderstanding, hesitates to tackle a short-wave receiver, although with a few simple precautions there is really nothing complicated or troublesome about such a layout as compared with the usual radiocast receiver.

First of all, it is necessary to employ short-wave coils, since the windings will have to be satisfactory for the extremely high frequencies of the signals. There are many types of coils on the market, usually with several different values required to cover the short-wave band from fifteen to 160 meters. Suitable tuning condensers should be employed with these coils, as specified by the coil makers. The standard arrangement is to have an antenna circuit coil which is loosely coupled with the secondary coil, thus permitting the use of almost any sized antenna. The tickler—and regeneration is essential in the simple short-wave receiver—is rigidly coupled with the secondary coil.

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The standard three-circuit regenerative layout, so familiar to those who were around in the pioneer days of radiocasting, is employed. In some circuits a variable condenser is employed to tune the regenerative circuit so that it feeds back energy into the secondary coil to cause oscillation of the detector. However, a more effective method is to employ tighter couping between tickler coil and secondary, so as to cause greater regeneration, and then to throttle the regeneration by means of a shunted high resistance capable of precise regulation. The 0-5 megohm standard type clarostat is ideally suited to this particular application.

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Another difficulty encountered in short-wave reception, which may be readily overcome, is the correct value of the